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Truman "Let Us Down," President Of UAW Declares

Union's GM Council Will
Hear Report on Status
of Strike

DETROIT, Feb. 25. (AP)—President
R. J. Thomas, of the CIO-United
Auto Workers, asserted today that
"President Truman let us down by
not seeing that the report of his
fact-finding committee (in the
General Motors strike) was carried
out."

Thomas's statement came a short
while after the UAW's 200-man GM
council was summoned to a Detroit
meeting Friday and Saturday to
hear top union officers report on
the status of the 97-day-old strike.

Thus far, no agreement has been
reached and none is presently in
sight," declared UAW Vice President
Walter P. Reuther in a telegram
to all GM locals announcing the
weekend huddle of the GM council.

Thomas, commenting on a sugges-
tion by Sen. Claude D. Pepper (D-
Fla.) that President Truman should
summon the GM disputants to
Washington in a new effort to settle
the strike, said:

"He (the president) should sell
the recommendation of the fact-
finding board to the people before
calling the parties to Washington."

Refers to 19% Cent Proposal

Thomas referred to the fact-finding
proposal of a nineteen and one-
half cent (17.5 per cent) hourly
wage increase to settle the GM
strike. The union—which originally
asked a thirty per cent raise—has
agreed to accept the fact-finders'
proposal but GM's highest offer has
been eighteen and one-half cents
(18.5 per cent).

The UAW president said he did
not confer over the weekend with
Pepper who made a speech here
Sunday. He said he was "not aware"
that Reuther had done so, although
Pepper said at Washington today
that he had talked with Reuther.

Special Federal Mediator James
F. Dewey declined comment on
Pepper's suggestion.

The mediator said today's session
between UAW and GM officials in-
volved a complete review "of all
matters still unsettled" and added,
"We haven't settled completely any
issues." He announced the negotia-
tions would be resumed Tuesday
(10:30 a. m. EST).

Wilson Returns to Parleys

Pepper told a reporter he had
suggested the move to Secretary of
Labor Schwelbach as a result of
conversations he held with Reuther
at Detroit over the weekend.

"This strike has gone on ninety-
six days and some of the strikers'
families are in a pitiable condition
financially," Pepper asserted.

"Something drastic must be done
to end it and I think that it is
time the president took a hand in
it again."

Reuther's announcement of the
summing of the GM council Jan-
uary 12 when it approved accepta-
tion of a presidential fact-finding
board recommendation of a nine-
teen and one-half cent hourly wage
increase to settle the long strike.

The conferees held two sessions
today and C. E. Wilson, GM presi-
dent, returned to the parleys this
afternoon for the first time since
last Wednesday when he absented
himself because of illness.

Copper Smelting Plant Is Closed by Strike

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25. (AP)—The
American Smelting and Refining
Company's copper smelting plant
here was completely closed down to-
day when its smelter workers struck
in demand for a thirty per cent
wage increase.

A spokesman for the Interna-
tional Union of Mine, Mill and
Smelter Workers (CIO) said 150
workers walked off their jobs, but
that 900 men were involved in the
dispute.

The plant had been operating at
twenty-five per cent capacity be-
cause of strikes in western smelting
operations from which raw materials
are obtained; company officials
said.

Not to attempt to sell it to a
British. If it were sold, he pointed
out that the British could make
any use of it they chose, including
its resale to other nations. As the
situation stands, Britain cannot re-
ly on Jones Creek, east of Spar-
rows Point, for the proceeds to the
United States.

Brewster inquired if this country
legally could "sterilize" the equip-
ment in question, by forbidding its
use in colonial outbreaks.

Hubert Navik, State department
expert, and Benno Smith, legal
counsel for McCabe, said there is
no question that this country can
impose any restrictions it elects on
use of the goods in question.

"Well," Brewster said, "I think
it might be well if we told the
British that we helped them out in
the last war and we probably will
want to help them in any future
war but that just at present we are
not engaged in these colonial wars
of yours and we don't want Ameri-
can equipment used in them."

WHITE HOUSE DIDN'T WANT 'EM



SOME OF THE THOUSAND CHICKS expressed to President Truman
by Poultryman William Lathrop, Richmond, Ind., are shown at a
railway express office in Washington after White House attaches re-
fused to accept delivery and before a chicken fancier bought them. A
similar shipment to Secretary of Agriculture Anderson, also rejected,
was likewise sold. The hatchery owner shipped the chicks in protest
against government requests that flocks be cut down.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25. (AP)—The
State department and the British
and French foreign offices were
accused by a former military govern-
ment official today of "secret con-
niving" to "go easy" in demanding
German assets in Spain, Argentina,
Portugal and Switzerland.

Russell A. Nixon told a Senate
War Mobilization subcommittee that
scheme efforts are being made to prevent
participation of the Soviet Union in the
search for German assets in those
areas.

"By this failing to implement
vigorously four-power action against
Germany's hidden foreign assets,"
he declared, "we are tragically per-
mitting the preservation for Ger-
many of an external economic base
for a third world war."

The subcommittee, headed by Sen.
Kilgore (D-Wa.), has been study-
ing the division, and their effect on world
economics.

Nixon before the war was Wash-
ington representative for the CIO-
United Electrical Workers and has
now returned to that position. He
told the committee he was testify-
ing as a private citizen on the basis
of his experience as acting di-
rector of the division of investiga-
tion of cartels and external assets,
Office of Military Government in
Germany, in 1945.

He said he was a T-5 in an in-
fantry replacement group when he
was assigned to the finance division
of the military government in
March, 1945. He added that he
called his division, from September,
1945, to January 10, 1946, when he
was returned from Germany.

Nixon testified that a State de-
partment cable in November, 1945,
proposed that the German External
Property Commission should be or-
ganized into two separate units.

In one, he said, it was proposed
that the Soviet Union be the sole
voting member with the other three
powers acting as observers.

"This unit would deal with Ger-
many's external assets in Bulgaria,
Hungary, Rumania, Finland, and
Eastern Austria," he continued.

"In the second unit, the voting
members would be the United
States, Britain, France and the
Soviet Union."

Brownell, a New York lawyer,
said his professional obligations had
become so pressing that he would
not be able to devote as much time
to the chairmanship as the job
should have and "in justice to the
party, as well as to my family and
myself, I must retire."

Iran Port Is Reported In "Trespassers" Hands

TEHRAN, Feb. 25. (AP)—The news-
paper Eteleat reported tonight that
"600 armed trespassers" had cap-
tured Kargandrud, Caspian seacoast
town in Iran's Gilan province, at-
tacked Shafarud nearby and were
marching on the port of Pahlevi.

The report, which added that no
confirmation was available, said the
column moved out of the border
town of Astara armed with heavy
machine guns and artillery and ad-
vanced "within a few kilometers of
Pahlevi," after destroying telephone
and telegraph lines entering the
port.

(Astara is in the Soviet republic
of Azerbaijan and east of the Iran-
ian province of Azerbaijan which
set up an autonomous government
in January not recognized by Iran.)

AFL Union Won't Support New York Transit Walkout

CIO Transport Workers
Stand Firm on Threat
To Call Strike

NEW YORK, Feb. 25. (AP)—Bernard
Brophy, president of the AFL Ameri-
can Federation of Municipal Transi-
t Workers, which claims 6,000
members among the city's 32,000
transportation workers, said today
his union would not support a
threatened by Michael J. Quill's CIO
Transport Workers Union against
the city-owned transit system.

Brophy made his statement at the
conclusion of a hearing before the
board of transportation, and a day
after the city corporation counsel
had said state law prohibiting the
city's recognizing any one union as
sole collective bargaining agent for
the workers.

"In view of the decision rendered
by the corporation counsel, we do
not intend to strike against the city
government," Brophy declared.

Quill, American Labor party city
councilman as well as international
president of the TWU, meanwhile
stood firm on his threat to call a
strike after midnight tomorrow if
the city failed to meet his union's
demand for a \$2 a day wage increase
and sole collective bargaining rights
for the workers. His union is one
of six which claim members among
the transit employees.

Ask 30 Per Cent Wage Boost

Brophy's union presented de-
mands for a thirty per cent wage
increase and a five-day, forty-hour
week at the hearing before the board
of transportation. Quill's union's
hearing on its demands is scheduled
for tomorrow.

City police and fire departments,
meanwhile, went ahead with emer-
gency plans to prevent a complete
paralysis of the city's 350-mile transi-
t system should the threatened
strike materialize.

The board of estimates today au-
thorized Mayor William O'Dwyer to
operate the subways in case of a
strike.

Inspector James McElroy, head of
the police emergency planning bur-
eau to cope with the situation, said
the entire police force and fire de-
partment had been alerted for im-
mediate call to duty.

One thousand city workers were
being mobilized to man the subways,
elevated trains, trolleys and buses
in the nation's largest municipally-
owned transit system, used twice a
day or more by an estimated 3-
500,000 persons.

"Bluff," Says Brophy

"I think Quill is bluffing," Brophy
declared. "With Quill's men out,
there might be a curtailment of
service for about an hour, but the
scheduled would then right itself."

Brophy estimated that fifteen to
twenty per cent of the men in his
service the transit lines.

O'Dwyer, in a telegram to CIO
President Philip Murray, said there
was "just cause" in the wage de-
mand, but the city's corporation
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Royall Denies Tanks, Jeeps Were Dumped Into Ocean at Guam

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24. (AP)—
Undersecretary of War Kenneth C.
Royall today denied charges made
by a soldier that the army had
dumped new tanks and jeeps into
the ocean at Guam. The matter has
been thoroughly investigated and
proven false, Royall said.

Accusations were made by a sol-
dier stationed at Guam and called
to the attention of the War de-
partment by Sen. Revercomb (R-Wa.).
The soldier wrote that he and
others, acting under orders, were
dumping new tanks into the ocean.
The soldier also said that he per-
sonally had dumped nine new jeeps.

Investigation reveals that the sol-
dier based his statement on gossip
and hearsay, not personal experi-
ence," said Royall's statement. "He
could give no testimony in any way
substantiating his charges, nor
would he name his informant."

GI Blames London Housing Shortage For Flight to Continent with Baby

LONDON, Feb. 25. (AP)—Pvt. Fran-
cis O. Tilley, Burlington, Vt., his
baby daughter under one arm and
a barracks bag under the other,
came back to London tonight and
blamed the local housing shortage
for his four-day flight to the con-
tinent with a 17-month-old child.

In a new explanation of his trip,
Tilley said he had searched for
three months with his Scotch wife,
Helen, in an unavailing attempt to
find a home before his re-enlist-
ment furlough ended. When his
ninety days were up last Friday, he
said, all he could do was leave Mrs.
Tilley with friends and take the
baby with him.

The weary looking private, who
said the past four days had been
"tiring but fun," was met at Vic-
toria station by his 28-year-old wife.
Arrangements had been made for
them, he said, at a friend's house
in nearby Surrey.

Tilley said he had no trouble
feeding the baby and washing dia-
pers in the Paris GI billet, where
the army found him, before order-

Shutdown Is Delayed For One Week; Union, Company To Arbitrate

Walkout Was Half-Hour
Away when Postpone-
ment Was Announced

UNION MEMBERSHIP
WILL MEET FRIDAY

Initial Arbitration Session
Is Tentatively Set for
Today

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 25. (AP)—A
power strike scheduled for 12:01
a. m. tomorrow was postponed to
night for one week during which
an attempt will be made to arbitrate
wage differences between the Du-
quesne Light Company and its in-
dependent union.

The announcement was made by
George Mueller, president of the
union.

He made public the text of a
statement issued at a meeting of
the fifty-one-man general commit-
tee of the union, which said the
group "decided that the strike that
is scheduled to start February 26
be postponed one week and that a
meeting of the membership be held
Friday, March 1, to decide whether
the wage issue be settled by arbi-
tration or strike."

The Pittsburgh Railways Com-
pany, which had pulled many of its
street cars off city and suburban
lines so as to have them in the
barns by midnight, announced that
full service would be restored with-
in a half hour.

Mayor David L. Lawrence, head of
a three-man board of negotiators
which sought vainly all week to get
agreement between the union and
company, also issued a statement
announcing postponement of the
strike.

Closed Conference Held

Mayor Lawrence said the union
had asked that company represen-
tatives and attorneys, union repre-
sentatives and attorneys, members
of the city law department, and the
three members of the negotiating
board attend the March 1 union
membership meeting.

Negotiators, in addition to Law-
rence, were Federal Labor Conclia-
tor Charles Kutz and State Sec-
retary of Labor William H. Chesnut.

The union's action came after its
officers had held a closed confer-
ence with representatives of various
other labor organizations of the city,
Allegheny County Commissioner
John J. Kane, who attended the
session as a member of the press-
men's union, said the Duquesne
union group had been urged to
accept arbitration.

The postponement came as Pitts-
burgh girded itself for a second
power strike within a fortnight. The
power blackout, had it materialized,
would have affected the lives of
some 1,500,000 people living in a
rich 817-square-mile industrial area
of Beaver and Allegheny counties.
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Marshall Terms Army Unity Pact "Hope of China"

By SPENCER MOOSA

CHUNGKING, Feb. 25. (AP)—China
consolidated her government and
Communist armies today into a
single national defense force, which
in turn is to be progressively re-
duced to sixty divisions of about
850,000 men within eighteen months.

Not in 4,000 years of recorded
history has China enjoyed a single
agreement between the warlords
and intrigues of warlords and politicians,
and belonging solely to the state as
a whole.

Gen. Marshall, special American
envoy who was a prime mover in
the unification program and one of
the three signers to the consoli-
dation agreement, declared as he
put away his fountain pen:

"This agreement represents the
hope of China."

"I can only trust that its pages
will not be soiled by small groups
of irreconcilables who for a selfish
purpose would defeat the Chinese
people in their overwhelming desire
for the right to live in peace and
prosperity."

Gen. Chang Chih-Chung, govern-
ment signator, promised on its be-
half that the terms would be
honored fully and said the Chinese
people appropriately were calling
Marshall "the midwife at the birth
of unity."

Gen. Chou En-Lai, Communist
signer, also pledging 100 per cent
fulfillment of the agreement, warn-
ed that difficulties might be met
but expressed confidence they could
be vanquished.

The difficulties to which Chou
and Marshall alluded were cropping
up already. Reports circulating in
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"Each Peronista," he said, "must continue to march with head high and step firm toward a destiny, linked with that of the nation itself, which will bring happiness to all Argentines and dignity and grandeur to our beloved country. Let everyone understand that."

SETS MEDAL RECORD



NAVY VETERAN of seventy-five photographic and bombing missions in the Pacific, Lt. Edward O. Jensen (above) received two Distinguished Flying Crosses and eight Air Medals in a single presentation ceremony at Floyd Bennett field, Brooklyn, N. Y. His ten decorations at once were said to set a record.

Pope Denounces "Cult of Force"; Asks "Just Peace"

Pontiff Resisted Pressure To Approve Nazi Attack on Russia

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 25. (AP)—Pope Pius XII, in an address to an unprecedented mass reception of cardinals and diplomats, tonight denounced the "cult of force" and called for the promotion of a "just and solid peace—a peace able to guarantee to all a tolerable life."

In the stately Consistory hall, where never before had the entire diplomatic corps gathered, the pontiff said that now that the war was over, the diplomats "should try to facilitate as much as possible communications and relations between countries."

He declared that when the Nazis attacked the Soviet Union in 1941 he had resisted pressure to give his approval or to encourage that war.

"We had a constant preoccupation with the spreading conflict which was so deadly to poor humanity," he said. "That is why, despite certain tendentious pressure, or from our pen one word alone, one indication alone of approval or of encouragement in favor of the (Continued on Page 2, Col. 6)

Cardinal Spellman Will Meet Franco, Report Says

NEW YORK, Feb. 25. (AP)—The National Broadcasting Company today quoted the British Broadcasting Corporation as saying that Francis Cardinal Spellman is leaving Rome today for Madrid to interview Generalissimo Franco.

The broadcast said Cardinal Spellman was taking a letter from Pope Pius XII dealing with the question of the Spanish monarchy.

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Truman "Let Us Down," President Of UAW Declares

Union's GM Council Will Hear Report on Status of Strike

DETROIT, Feb. 25. (AP)—President R. J. Thomas, of the CIO-United Auto Workers, asserted today that "President Truman let us down by not seeing that the report of his fact-finding committee (in the General Motors strike) was carried out."

Thomas's statement came a short while after the UAW's 200-man GM council was summoned to a Detroit meeting Friday and Saturday to hear top union officers report on the status of the 97-day-old strike.

"Thus far, no agreement has been reached and none is presently in sight," declared UAW Vice President Walter P. Reuther in a telegram to all GM locals announcing the weekend huddle of the GM council.

Thomas, commenting on a suggestion by Sen. Claude D. Pepper (D-Fla.) that President Truman should summon the GM disputants to Washington in a new effort to settle the strike, said:

"He (the president) should sell the recommendation of the fact-finding board to the people before calling the parties to Washington."

Refers to 19% Cent Proposal

Thomas referred to the fact-finding proposal of a nineteen and one-half cent (17.5 per cent) hourly wage increase to settle the GM strike. The union—which originally asked a thirty per cent raise—has agreed to accept the fact-finders' proposal but GM's highest offer has been eighteen and one-half cents (18.5 per cent).

The UAW president said he did not confer over the weekend with Pepper who made a speech here Sunday. He said he was "not aware" that Reuther had done so, although Pepper said at Washington today that he had talked with Reuther.

A Special Federal Mediator James P. Dewey declined comment on Pepper's suggestion.

The mediator said today's session between UAW and GM officials involved a complete review "of all matters still unsettled" and added: "We haven't settled completely any issues." He announced the negotiations would be resumed Tuesday (10-30 a. m. EST).

Wilson Returns to Parleys

Pepper told a reporter he had suggested the move to Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach as a result of conversations he held with Reuther at Detroit over the weekend.

"This strike has gone on ninety-six days and some of the strikers' families are in pitiable condition financially," Pepper asserted.

"Something drastic must be done to end it and I think that it is time the president took a hand in it again."

Reuther's announcement of the summoning of the GM council marked its first meeting since January 13 when it approved acceptance of a presidential fact-finding board recommendation of a nineteen and one-half-cent hourly wage increase to settle the long strike.

The conferees held two sessions today and C. E. Wilson, GM president, returned to the parleys this afternoon for the first time since last Wednesday when he absented himself because of illness.

Copper Smelting Plant Is Closed by Strike

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25. (AP)—The American Smelting and Refining Company's copper smelting plant here was completely closed down today when its smelter workers struck in demand for a thirty per cent wage increase.

A spokesman for the International Union of Mine, Mill and Smelter Workers (CIO) said 150 workers walked off their jobs, but that 900 men were involved in the dispute.

The plant had been operating at twenty-five per cent capacity because of strikes in western smelting operations from which raw materials are obtained, company officials said.

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not to attempt to sell it to the British. If it were sold, he pointed out that the British could make any use of it they chose, including its resale to other nations. As the situation stands, Britain cannot resell without prior American approval and turning the proceeds to the United States.

Brewster inquired if this country legally could "sterilize" the equipment in question, by forbidding its use in colonial outbreaks.

Hubert Navik, State department expert, and Benno Smith, legal counsel for McCabe, said there is no question that this country can impose any restrictions it elects on use of the goods in question.

WHITE HOUSE DIDN'T WANT 'EM



SOME OF THE THOUSAND CHICKS expressed to President Truman by Poultryman William Lathrop, Richmond, Ind., are shown at a railway express office in Washington after White House attaches refused to accept delivery and before a chicken fancier bought them. A similar shipment to Secretary of Agriculture Anderson, also rejected, was likewise sold. The hatchery owner shipped the chicks in protest against government requests that flocks be cut down.

Russian Fighting Forces Are Merged into Single "Peoples' Commissariat"

"Secret Conniving" Regarding German Assets Is Charged

Word "Defense" Is Dropped from Title; Stalin Heads New Setup

LONDON, Feb. 25. (AP)—Russia consolidated her fighting forces into a single "peoples' commissariat" today and dropped the word "defense" from its title.

Generalissimo Stalin, the Moscow radio announced, becomes head of the new "peoples' commissariat of the armed forces of the U. S. S. R."

Stalin, the broadcast said, "by decree of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet of the U. S. S. R. has been appointed peoples' commissar of the armed forces and supreme commander-in-chief of the armed forces of the U. S. S. R."

The decree abolished the peoples' commissariat for the navy, the announcement said, and "transformed the peoples' commissariat for defense into the new commissariat."

Stalin was appointed peoples' commissar of defense on July 19, 1941, a month after Germany declared war on Russia and at a time when the Nazis had captured Smolensk and had forced their way to within 200 miles of Moscow.

"The peoples' commissariat for defense of the U. S. S. R., by decree of the Supreme Presidium of the U. S. S. R., has been transformed into the peoples' commissariat of the armed forces of the U. S. S. R.," the broadcast said.

"All the armed forces of the U. S. S. R.—the land armies, air forces and naval forces—are united in this peoples' commissariat."

"The Presidium of the Supreme Soviet of the U. S. S. R. has issued a decree abolishing the peoples' commissariat for the navy of the U. S. S. R. This is in accordance with the decree on formation of the peoples' commissariat of the armed forces."

He said he was a T-5 in an infantry replacement group when he was assigned to the finance division of the military government in March, 1945. He added that he was acting director of Dica, as he called his division, from September, 1945, to January 16, 1946, when he was returned from Germany.

Nixon testified that a State department cable in November, 1945, proposed that the German External Property Commission should be organized into two separate units.

In one, he said, it was proposed that the Soviet Union be the sole voting member with the other three powers acting as observers.

"This unit would deal with Germany's external assets in Bulgaria, Hungary, Rumania, Finland, and Eastern Austria," he continued.

"In the second unit, the voting members would be the United (Continued on Page 2, Col. 7)

Four Persons Perish In Baltimore Fire

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25. (AP)—A family of four was burned to death in their locked apartment and sixteen other persons were routed from their beds early today by a fire that destroyed part of an historic dwelling on Jones Creek, east of Sparrows Point.

Those who died in the fire were William Bobbitt, 36, an employee of the Bethlehem Steel plant at Sparrows Point; his wife, Mrs. Beatrice Bobbitt, 35; her son by another marriage, James H. Hey, 14, and her grandson, Richard Cameron, 15 months.

The Bobbitts and the children apparently were overcome by smoke before they were burned. Their charred bodies were found in their apartment after the fire was quenched.

Seven other families, aroused by James C. Cremans, manager of the apartment house, fled to safety. Cremans said he tried without avail to awaken the Bobbitts and even tried to break down their door.

AFL Union Won't Support New York Transit Walkout

CIO Transport Workers Stand Firm on Threat To Call Strike

NEW YORK, Feb. 25. (AP)—Bernard Brophy, president of the AFL American Federation of Municipal Transit Workers, which claims 6,000 members among the city's 32,000 transportation workers, said today his union would not support a strike threatened by Michael J. Quill's CIO Transport Workers Union against the city-owned transit system.

Brophy made his statement at the conclusion of a hearing before the board of transportation, and a day after the city corporation counsel had said state law prohibited the city's recognizing any one union as sole collective bargaining agent for the workers.

"In view of the decision rendered by the corporation counsel, we do not intend to strike against the city government," Brophy declared.

Quill, American Labor party city councilman as well as international president of the TWU, meanwhile stood firm on his threat to call a strike after midnight tomorrow if the city failed to meet his union's demand for a \$2 a day wage increase and sole collective bargaining rights for the workers. His union is one of six which claims members among the transit employees.

City police and fire departments, meanwhile, went ahead with emergency plans to prevent a complete paralysis of the city's 350-mile transit system should the threatened strike materialize.

The board of estimates today authorized Mayor William O'Dwyer to operate the subways in case of a strike.

Inspector James McElroy, head of the police emergency planning bureau to cope with the situation, said the entire police force and fire department had been alerted for immediate call to duty.

One thousand city workers were being mobilized to man the subways, elevated trains, trolleys and buses in the nation's largest municipally-owned transit system, used twice a day or more by an estimated 3,500,000 persons.

"Bluff," Says Brophy

"I think Quill is bluffing," Brophy declared. "With Quill's men out, there might be a curtailment of service for about an hour, but the scheduled would then right itself."

Brophy estimated that fifteen to twenty per cent of the men in his union worked in powerhouses which service the transit lines.

O'Dwyer, in a telegram to CIO President Philip Murray, said there was "just cause" in the wage demand, but the city's corporation (Continued on Page 2, Col. 6)

Royal Denies Tanks, Jeeps Were Dumped Into Ocean at Guam

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25. (AP)—Undersecretary of War Kenneth C. Royall today denied charges made by a soldier that the army had dumped new tanks and jeeps into the ocean at Guam. The matter has been thoroughly investigated and proven false, Royall said.

Accusations were made by a soldier stationed at Guam and called to the attention of the War department by Sen. Revercomb (R-WVa). The soldier urged that he and others, acting under orders, were dumping new tanks into the ocean.

The soldier also dumped nine new jeeps. "Investigation reveals that the soldier based his statement on gossip and hearsay, not personal experience," said Royall's statement. "He could give no testimony in any way substantiating his charges, nor would he name his informant."

Brownell Announces Intention To Retire

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25. (AP)—Herbert Brownell, Jr., made formal announcement today of his intention to retire from the chairmanship of the Republican National Committee, at the same time predicting Republican victory in this year's congressional elections.

His statement said he had called the committee to meet here April 1 and had notified members "that I will then present my resignation as chairman to become effective upon the election of my successor at that meeting."

Brownell, a New York lawyer, said his professional obligations had become so pressing that he would not be able to devote as much time to the chairmanship as the job should have and "in justice to the party, as well as to my family and myself, I must retire."

Iran Port Is Reported In "Trespassers' Hands"

TEHRAN, Feb. 25. (AP)—The newspaper Ettelaat reported tonight that 600 armed trespassers had captured Kargandrud, Caspian seacoast town in Iran's Gilan province, attacked Shafard nearby and were marching on the port of Pahlevi.

The report, which added that no confirmation was available, said the column moved out of the border town of Astara armed with heavy machine guns and artillery and advanced "within a few kilometers of the port," after destroying telephone and telegraph lines entering the port.

Astara is in the Soviet republic of Azerbaijan and east of the Iranian province of Azerbaijan which set up an autonomous government in January not recognized by Iran.

Shutdown Is Delayed For One Week; Union, Company To Arbitrate

MEDAL FOR PATTON



POSTHUMOUS AWARD to the late Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., the Medal of Good Citizenship, bestowed by Sons of the American Revolution, is shown to the camera by the general's daughter, Mrs. Ruth Totten, Washington, D. C. Presented in ceremonies at Philadelphia, the medal honored the United States Third Army commander who led its victory dash across France and Germany.

Schwellenbach Hits Case Bill; NAM Defends It

Labor Secretary Says Measure Is an Ill-Advised "Hodge-Podge"

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25. (AP)—Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach said today the strike-control bill recently passed by the House "may well initiate an era of industrial warfare."

The bill is an ill-advised "hodge-podge" heavily weighted against labor unions, Schwellenbach told the Senate Labor committee.

From the National Association of Manufacturers, however, the committee heard that the bill, introduced by Rep. Cese (R-SD), is a move in the right direction.

The NAM advocated "the encouragement of private collective bargaining under rules to equalize the rights and responsibilities of labor and management alike."

The case bill, among other things, would permit federal court injunctions against violence or the threat of violence in a labor dispute and it would permit damage suits against either side for breach of contract. It also would create a labor-management mediation board.

"I am afraid that, instead of promoting industrial peace, hodge-podge legislation of this sort may well initiate an era of industrial warfare with the power of the government used to destroy labor unions."

"I cannot emphasize too strongly the inherent inequity of a provision which seems to assume that the blame for any disorder in a labor dispute rests solely on the employers."

Schwellenbach, an ex-senator and former federal judge, said he did not think the judiciary should be loaded with the burden of "innumerable labor controversies." He said existing methods, such as the use of federal conciliators, were much to be preferred.

GI Blames London Housing Shortage For Flight to Continent with Baby

LONDON, Feb. 25. (AP)—Pvt. Francis O. Tilley, Burlington, Vt., his baby daughter under one arm and a barracks bag under the other, blamed the local housing shortage for his four-day flight to the continent with a 17-month-old child.

In a new explanation of his trip, Tilley said he had searched for three months with his Scottish wife, Helen, in an unavailing attempt to find a home before his re-enlistment furlough ended. When his ninety days were up last Friday, he said, all he could do was leave Mrs. Tilley with friends and take the baby with him.

The weary looking private, who said the past four days had been "living but fun," was met at Victoria station by his 28-year-old wife. Arrangements had been made for him, he said, at a friend's house in nearby Surrey.

Tilley said he had no trouble feeding the baby and washing diapers in the Paris GI billet, where the army found him, before ordering him to return the infant to its mother. He was given five days, he said, to straighten out his difficulties before reporting to the depot in Belgium for re-assignment.

The Dufayel enlisted men's billet in Paris was thrown into an uproar Friday night when Tilley walked in with Kathrine, an arm and a duffelbag containing canned milk, cream and talcum powder under the other. Soon, everyone in the billet was helping care for the baby.

When army authorities found out, they decided to send Kathrine and her father back to England on a German boat.

The troops and housekeeping personnel in Dufayel cheered them as they took the boat train. As one soldier said:

"It was a good try anyway." United States Public Relations officers in London said Tilley explained he was trying to take the child with him to Germany "so she would have better food than could be obtained in food-rationed Britain."

Walkout Was Half-Hour Away when Postponement Was Announced

UNION MEMBERSHIP WILL MEET FRIDAY

Initial Arbitration Session Is Tentatively Set for Today

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 25. (AP)—A power strike scheduled for 12:01 a. m. tomorrow was postponed to tonight for one week during which an attempt will be made to arbitrate wage differences between the Duquesne Light Company and its independent union.

The announcement was made by George Mueller, president of the union.

He made public the text of a statement issued at a meeting of the fifty-one-man general committee of the union, which said the group "decided that the strike that is scheduled to start February 26 be postponed one week and that a meeting of the membership be held Friday, March 1, to decide whether the wage issue be settled by arbitration or strike."

The Pittsburgh Railways Company, which had pulled many of its street cars off city and suburban lines so as to have them in the barns by midnight, announced that full service would be restored within a half hour.

Mayor David L. Lawrence, head of a three-man board of negotiators which sought vainly all week to get agreement between the union and company, also issued a statement announcing postponement of the strike.

Closed Conference Held

Mayor Lawrence said the union had asked that company representatives and attorneys, union representatives and attorneys, members of the city law department, and the three members of the negotiating board attend the March 1 union membership meeting.

Negotiators, in addition to Lawrence, were Federal Labor Conciliator Charles Kutz and State Secretary of Labor William H. Chesnut.

The union action came after its officers and a closed conference with representatives of various other labor organizations of the city, Allegheny County Commissioner John J. Kane, who attended the session as a member of the pressmen's union, said the Duquesne union group had been urged to accept arbitration.

The company agreed to arbitration yesterday.

The postponement came as Pittsburgh girded itself for a second power strike within a fortnight. The power blackout, had it materialized, would have affected the lives of some 1,500,000 people living in a rich 817-square-mile industrial area of Beaver and Allegheny counties. (Continued on Page 2, Col. 6)

Marshall Terms Army Unity Pact "Hope of China"

By SPENCER MOOSA

CHUNGKING, Feb. 25. (AP)—China consolidated her government and Communist armies today into a single national defense force, which in turn is to be progressively reduced to sixty divisions of about 85,000 men within eighteen months.

Not in 4,000 years of recorded history has China enjoyed a single armed force free of the whims and intrigues of warlords and politicians, and belonging solely to the state as a whole.

Gen. Marshall, special American envoy who was a prime mover in the unification program and one of the three signers to the consolidation agreement, declared as he put away his fountain pen:

"This agreement represents the hope of China."

"I can only trust that its pages will not be soiled by the blood of irreconcilables who for a selfish purpose would defeat the Chinese people in their overwhelming desire for the right to live in peace and prosperity."

Gen. Chiang Chih-Chung, government signator, pronounced on its behalf that the terms of the agreement honored fully and said the Chinese people appropriately were calling Marshall "the midwife at the birth of unity."

Gen. Chou En-Lai, Communist signator, also pledging 100 per cent fulfillment of the agreement, warned that difficulties might be met but expressed confidence they could be vanquished.

The difficulties to which Chou and Marshall alluded were cropping up already. Reports circulating in Chinese circles said fourteen tank-ranking government generals had vainly petitioned Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek against reducing the army at this time, when "a third world war is in the making."

Westernport Fire Company To Get New Hose Dryer

Equipment, Costing \$450, Will Be Purchased by Company and Town

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN

WESTERNPORT, Feb. 25.—An electric hose dryer will be purchased for the Potomac Fire Company of Westernport at a cost of \$450. The town of Westernport and the fire company will each pay half the cost. The equipment will dry 500 feet of hose in from four to six hours.

Major Milton McIntire, George Kline and William Ravenscroft, commissioners of Westernport, and Chief William Mayles, Cecil Wilkinson and William Kolberg, members of the fire company, inspected the hose dryer owned by the Oakland fire company yesterday, and it was decided to buy one.

Dredging Funds Lacking
There are no specific funds for such a project as dredging of the Potomac and Patuxent rivers, Congressman J. Glenn Beall has advised the civic improvement committee of the Westernport and Lions club.

The letter states that "the completion of the Savage river dam should be the number one postwar project in Western Maryland. Legislation has been introduced which provides funds for such projects discontinued because of the war."

Congressman Beall's letter was a reply to the Lions committee, in which they called attention to the above streams needing dredging to prevent a disastrous spring flood which is growing in the beds of the streams.

Hillary Rites Held
Services for Mrs. Sadie E. Watkins Hillary, 64, wife of Albert W. Hillary, Sr., who died at her home at Halethorpe, Md., February 14, were held at the funeral home of W. J. Tucker and Sons February 18. Interment was in Loudon Park cemetery, where services were conducted by Howard chapter, Order of the Eastern Star. Howard court, Order of Amaranth also attended in a body.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Hillary is survived by one son, Albert W. Hillary, Jr., Halethorpe.

Former President Dies
Mrs. Anna Pearce Duty, 81, widow of David Duty, formerly of Westernport, died February 14, at her home at Middlebourne, W. Va.

Surviving are two children, Miss Elsie Duty, a teacher at Middlebourne, and Ralph Duty, with the name at Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. Delphia Duty, and Forest Dayton, Westernport, attended the funeral, which was held last Tuesday.

Marriage Announced
The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Catherine Goeke, daughter of Mrs. Pauline Albright Goeke, Fairmont, W. Va., formerly of Piedmont, W. Va., to Carlton E. Pillitter, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Pillitter, Chattanooga, Tenn., has been announced.

The ceremony took place December 29, 1945, at the post chapel of Bushnell General hospital, Brigham, Utah.

Forum Program Set
Mrs. Cleo Brown, Louisville, Ky., lecturer, author and teacher, will be the speaker at the second series of forums of the Institute of International Understanding, sponsored by the Tri-Towns Rotary club, to be held Tuesday at 8 p. m. at the Piedmont high school auditorium.

Mrs. Dawson will discuss "The Constructive Use of Air Transportation."

Members and their husbands of the Westernport and Luke Civic club; Social Welfare club of Westernport, and the Piedmont Woman's club, will be guests of the Rotary club.

The poet of Bruce high school will not sing this Tuesday night as scheduled but will sing at the forum next Tuesday.

Personal
Miss Helen Wagoner, Ashfield street, Piedmont, is home from Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, W. Va., where she underwent an operation.

The Young Ladies' Bible class of Trinity Methodist church, Piedmont, will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Arthur Unst, 416 Maryland avenue, Westernport.

The Rev. Raymond L. Moore, Westernport, visited his father, W. F. Moore, Appomattox, Va., recently.

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recently discharged from the army after fifty-four months of service. He is employed by the Imperial Ice Cream company, Cumberland.

The couple will reside in Mt. Savage.

Miss Crump To Be Wed
Mr. and Mrs. James Ellsworth Crump have announced the coming marriage of their daughter, Miss Jean Crump, to James D. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Smith, Clarysville.

The ceremony will take place Wednesday at 8 p. m. in St. George's Episcopal church. The Rev. Rudolph Greck will officiate.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Beall high school, Frostburg. The bridegroom was recently honorably discharged from the army after thirty-one months of service in India.

Miss Cook Is Wed
Miss Dolly Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Cook, Corrigville, and Orville E. Bridges, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bridges, Mt. Savage, were married January 10 in the Mt. Savage Methodist church.

The Rev. Lee Richerke, pastor of the church, officiated at the ceremony. Mrs. Bernice Johnson served as best man.

The bride attended Allegany high school and was employed by the Woolworth store until her recent resignation. The bridegroom is a graduate of Beall high school and received an honorable discharge from the army in September, after two years of overseas service.

The couple will reside in Corrigville.

Brief Items
A party for the benefit of St. Patrick's Catholic church will be

Nada Louise Braun

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golden wedding anniversary at their home here in July 1945. His parents are Jesse Burkley who is 86 years old and his mother, the former Agnes Anna Spiller, who is 79. Interment was made in Morgantown.

Nazis Killed Klava
Mrs. Alex Smigal of Douglas, who is still hearing of the horrors that her son suffered at the hands of the Japs for more than three years while he was a prisoner, also learned new horrors this week when she received word of the violent death of her brother, Joseph Klava, at the hands of the Germans during the occupancy of Poland.

English Bride Arrives
Of the three English brides who will come to Tucker county to join their husbands in the near future, Mrs. Elwood Kismore is the first to arrive with her fifteen-month-old son.

She is the former Mary Helena Sharp, of Wington, Cumberland county, England, and was a petty officer in the Wren's and worked as a chief commissary steward in Scotland where she met Madeline, Mate 2-c Elwood Lester Kismore, son of Theodore Kismore of Parsons, and Mrs. Charlie Young, of Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Kismore has been in the English navy for four years until she married her husband, December 21, 1942, at Exeter, England. They met in Scotland, September 8, of that year. He entered the service August 8, and was sent overseas within a few weeks after entering. He participated in the battles of the Atlantic and returned to the states in October, 1945 where he was discharged. He went to New York to meet his wife and they have now returned to Parsons to reside.

Mrs. Kismore said that she was ill for five days crossing in the Queen Mary but that her small son, Lester Leo, did not become ill at any time. There are two more English brides to arrive in Tucker county. One will go to Hambleton to live and one to Henderson.

Adams Heads Farm Bureau
Selby Adams, Limestone, was elected president of the Tucker county farm bureau at a meeting held Saturday afternoon in Parsons. He will succeed Mr. L. Cooper, president for the past two years.

Other officers elected were R. E. Aberle, Dry Fork, vice president; and Miss Elsie Painter, secretary-treasurer.

Directors will be George Kiser, for Blackfoot district; C. C. Harsh, for Clover district; M. L. Cooper, for DuPont district; Ben P. Thompson, for Dry Fork; Okey Stiles for Licking; and B. B. Parsons for St. George district. Committees will be named by the president.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Thompson, Spiders, announced the birth of a daughter in DuPont hospital, St. George, February 14. The child has been named Beverly Ingrid. The mother is the former Betty Aronson, daughter of Carl Aronson, Davis. The father has been a student at the pharmacy school at West Virginia University, Morgantown, since his discharge from the navy air corps, in which he held the rank of ensign.

Hyndman Church
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Bedford inn for the noon meal and afternoon session.

The association has secured Dr. Beatty Ditt, of Indiana State Teachers' college as speaker. He is also overseas of the state grange.

Musical numbers will intersperse short discussions by leaders in agricultural and home economics activities in the county.

Honored at Party
Mrs. Margaret Sager was honored with a birthday party Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Jamison, Hyndman. Entertainment was furnished by George Bishop and his son, Kenneth, and several selections were sung by Fay Emerich, Ellerslie, Md.

Refreshments were served and many gifts were presented to the guest of honor. Twenty guests were present.

Miss Betty Philipp entertained with a birthday party in honor of Mrs. Ernest Seignor Saturday evening at the latter's apartment in the A. G. Crabbe building.

Refreshments and games were features of the evening.

Personal
Members of the Church of the Brethren here have been informed that the Rev. Lawrence Bianci, Italian evangelist of Winber, Pa., is critically ill at Session City, Pa. He is well known in the community, having held a series of evangelistic meetings in recent years.

Luman Evans of the merchant marine is visiting his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Charles Evans.

The Misses Anna and Regina McGregor, Mrs. George Oster and Edgar Shaffer visited relatives in Pleasantville, Pa., recently.

Pvt. Donald Kerr, who is serving in ordnance at Aberdeen, Md., spent the weekend at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Carrie Kerr.

Clem Troutman, who has been seriously ill at his home for several weeks, was taken to Memorial hospital, Cumberland, Md., Saturday.

Lola Jeanne Holler, Allegany hospital, Cumberland, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Holler, over the weekend.

Mrs. Samuel Reese remains ill at her home.

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A native of Cumberland, Mrs. Davis was a daughter of the late Charles Alexander and Margaret Dowden Scott. The family later moved to Keyser, W. Va., and she resided there for nearly fifty years. She was the wife of F. Wright Davis, Keyser contractor, who died in 1921. Mrs. Davis was a member of Trinity Lutheran church, Keyser.

Besides her son, she is survived by another son, Raymond Davis, Crewe, Va., and five grandchildren. Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. at the home of her son, 722 East Oldtown road. Interment will be in Rose Hill cemetery. Other arrangements are incomplete.

The family requests that flowers be omitted.

FRANK H. LANTZ
BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Frank H. (Moe) Lantz, 71, retiring Associated Press telegraph operator who died suddenly on Saturday.

Services will be held from the William Cook funeral home, followed by interment in Baltimore cemetery.

A native of Keedysville, Md., Lantz became a telegraph operator in 1889 at Cumberland, Md., and subsequently worked in many cities, copying telegraph news.

He became an Associated Press operator in 1897. In 1918 he came to the Baltimore bureau of The Associated Press, where he remained until his retirement in 1939.

Survivors include a sister, Mrs. William C. Burrell, of Cumberland.

COUNCIL TAKES NO ACTION ON PROPOSAL TO WIDEN STREET

The mayor and city council yesterday failed to take action on a proposal to widen Greenway avenue from the end of the Port Hill high school property to Williams street, where the cost was estimated at \$2,113.

M. H. Burgess, owner of the property which extends about eight feet into the street, has offered to deed the strip to the city in return for a wall and a walk into the house, according to Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer.

Cost of that work is estimated at \$800 and is included in the overall estimate. The rest of the money would be needed to replace the curb and sidewalk and to pave the street.

Opposing the move because of the cost, Commissioner Hunter B. Helfrich said he does not see how conditions will be improved, since persons leaving the school now drive from a 40-foot wide street to one 24 feet wide and then to Williams street, which is 24 feet wide. Helfrich pointed out that if the improvement is carried out, a 40-foot street would connect with one 24 feet wide, stating he does not think it would be any better than the present arrangement.

Although he stated he wanted to buy a lot at Williams and Greenway, across from the Burgess property, from the city, James A. Kuhlman, 414 Warwick avenue, declined to make an offer and refused to consider a proposal of \$320. The lot was deeded to the city by A. L. Brown after a paving bill of \$900 was filed against it.

Country Club Chef Is Released Pending Action of Grand Jury

George Wertz, Cumberland Country Club chef, who has signed a statement admitting to throwing two pavement bricks through the glass door of the Red Men's club and to breaking and entering Richardson's confectionery and the Trev. Well, has been released on his own personal recognizance pending action of the April term grand jury.

State's Attorney Morgan C. Harris said Wertz was released on his own recognizance since he was unable to post a bond, the state attorney's office said.

A report filed at city hall yesterday by Detective L. B. F. Gaffney stated that Wertz, who was previously convicted of larceny in Bedford, Pa., was also ordered to take the pledge for a period of one year.

The heavy glass door of the Red Men's club on Bedford street was smashed early Saturday morning and a woman gave police a description of the man she said threw the bricks. At police headquarters, the report states, the woman identified the man as Wertz from photographs shown her.

Wertz was arrested and confessed to breaking and entering Richardson's, Harrison and Park streets, a year ago, and Trev. Well, Park and Williams street, two years ago, as well as throwing the bricks, the report reads.

Footer Building
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Rizer said. He pointed out that traffic congestion at the latter place was cited in Stewart's letter to the mayor as one of the reasons why a new bus terminal should be provided.

If the terminal is moved to the Footer building, Rizer said, plans will be made to provide a restaurant and a waiting room in a wing of the building paralleling Howard street.

Westbound buses could come in by Frederick street, their present route, turn south on Mechanic street and reach the Footer building without using Baltimore street, while eastbound buses coming in on Route 40 could continue directly down Mechanic street to the building.

Would Remodel Building
Although some traffic problems remain to be solved, Rizer said that he and Chief Eyerman will recommend that the building be used as a new terminal.

Besides Stewart, Rizer and chief Eyerman, others who inspected the building yesterday afternoon were Owen Hitchens, president of the Tri-state Mine and Mill Supply Company, and James C. Shriver, local postmaster.

Stewart said last night that his plan was to have the building operated by five intrastate bus lines relative to establishing a terminal in the building.

He estimated that 4,000 persons would use the terminal daily if present plans are put into effect.

Stewart stated that the mayor and city council approve the proposal, he will remodel the ground floor to include a large waiting room and restaurant, at an estimated cost of between \$25,000 and \$30,000.

Co-operation
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Foreign Wars, University Women, Catholic Daughters of America, various price panels and OPA groups and others.

The group from Baltimore, accompanying McCormick here, included J. Charles Judge, assistant to the director and in charge of Maryland boards; Columbus (Jack) Oakley, district board enforcement co-ordinator; Mrs. Lawrence Naylor, district information officer; Ed Sparrow, OPA information division; and A. D. Phebus, Frederick, board supervisor for Western Maryland.

Representatives from the OPA in Oakland included Mrs. Helen Thayer, price clerk and Mrs. Edwin Rook, chief clerk.

Oakley met Mrs. Mary S. Jones of the local office and Mrs. Thayer and Mrs. Rook in a conference during the afternoon.

Double Murder, Suicide
BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Baltimore County Police Chief Oscar M. Grimes reported today that autopsy reports confirmed a police theory of double murder and suicide in the deaths of a father, his son and daughter, whose bodies were found at Texas, Md., last Thursday.

Grimes said reports from Dr. Howard J. Maldeis, chief medical examiner for Baltimore city, left no doubt that Benjamin Chaffman, Jr., 28, shot and killed his father, Benjamin, Sr., 52, and sister, Irene, 25, and committed suicide.

Australian Veteran Has Two Hearts

Brisbane (Queensland) doctors are showing more than ordinary interest in an Australian war veteran who is seeking treatment for two hearts—both his own. The Australian Weekly Review received regularly by F. T. Small, points out.

The man was returned from Timor with a minor leg ailment and a heart condition that baffled front-line medical experts. Brisbane physicians were equally dissatisfied with his heart condition but were unable to find an active symptom that pointed to any specific trouble.

Under X-ray they found that the soldier had two hearts, each beating alternately. A specialist called into consultation said, "He'll probably live to a ripe old age. His chance of dying with a broken heart is two to one against—and that's important these days."

Organized Labor
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and from labor—one each from AFL and CIO.

Should the labor members pull out, this official said, administrators of the wage-price policy would be faced to pass the wage board entirely, throwing all wage-price cases direct to OPA, or continue the board as a public body without labor representation.

Green Protests Control
He added that William Green, AFL president, conferred Saturday with Secretary of Labor Schweikert and vigorously protested the wage control exercised by the stabilization board.

CIO President Philip Murray was asked at the news conference which followed his all-day union meeting what he would do in the event his proposed "remedy" were rejected, and he replied:

"We will take that bridge when we come to it."

Both AFL and CIO warned strikes might multiply if the provision of the new policy, which requires approval of negotiated wage increases by the Wage Stabilization Board, is carried out.

Murray wrote Bowles that "having eliminated government intervention from the disputes phase of labor relations, it would be catastrophic to reintroduce it on the level of wage settlements."

"To do so would mean not only to abandon a fundamental premise of federal labor policy, of encouraging collective bargaining to the widest extent possible but also to invite destructive delays and inevitable confusion and strikes."

WSB Holds Closed Sessions
The CIO reaffirmed its support of price controls.

AFL unions have settled wage disputes for increases as little as ten per cent in some cases. Wage Stabilization Board approval of greater increases for other unions in an industry would create unrest and a desire to get more, the AFL unionists argue.

For three days the Wage Stabilization Board has held heated, closed sessions in an effort to reach a satisfactory settlement. Murray suggested the board perform only the functions originally intended for it—passing upon wage reductions and inequities and cleaning up the backlog of problems left by the liquidated War Labor Board.

The OPA and CPA appropriations were slashed by identical votes of 11 to 9 in the Senate Appropriations committee.

The OPA appropriation had been for \$184,000 and the CPA's for \$150,000.

Sen. McClellan (D-Tenn.), acting committee chairman, said the cuts might be restored when the bill reaches the Senate floor, probably tomorrow.

Eccles, federal reserve chief, noted that living costs had risen by thirty per cent since price controls were said they might climb another ten per cent under the new policy.

He urgently supported the administration drive for continuation of price controls, warning that scrapping them might have "disastrous" consequences if people lost confidence in the purchasing power of the dollar. Eccles expressed the belief that the federal budget can be brought into balance next year if the price line is held under the new wage-price policy and there is large production.

Would Continue OPA
To hold down inflation pressures, he proposed:

1. Continue OPA for at least another year beyond the June 30 expiration date.

2. A substantial increase in the capital gains tax to put the brakes on speculative buying, especially in the stock market.

3. The government should refrain from creating further bank credit, "a primary source of inflationary pressures," by bringing about a balanced budget, and beginning to pay off some of the nation's debt as soon as possible. He suggested also that commercial banks sell some of their government securities to non-bank investors.

"To argue against all price controls," Eccles declared, "is like arguing against vaccination on the ground that it is better to contract the disease than it is to recover from the disease than it is to take necessary precautions against contracting it while efforts are being made to eradicate the sources of infection."

Describing price controls as "virtually our last bulwark against increasing costs of living," he said it is "urgent" to continue these controls until production has come into balance with consumer demand.

In answer to questions by committee members, Eccles said OPA now estimates living costs are about thirty per cent above prewar levels. He said "there is some possibility" these cost increases will reach a maximum of forty per cent as a result of the wage-price policy, which Mr. Truman described as a "bulge" but not a "breakthrough" in the line against inflation.

To Confer Degree
The Patriarchal degree will be conferred on a class of five candidates by Cumberland Encampment No. 23, I.O.O.F., tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Odd Fellows Temple, South Mechanic street.

PASTOR NIEMOELLER SAYS GERMAN PEOPLE MUST SHARE WAR GUILT

FRANKFURT, Feb. 25 (AP)—In a secret speech to die-hard Nazis confined in the American Seventh army internment camp, Pastor Martin Niemöller said the German people must share the "mountain of guilt" for the war and not try to lay all the blame on the Nazis or war criminals.

Niemöller's speech was not released until tonight, although it had been made several days ago. He declared that the church had failed in Germany because it failed to rouse people against Nazi concentration camps and other horrors when they first began and did not speak out until the church itself was attacked.

"My conscience first realized that I did not protest back in 1933, when my Communist brothers were sent to concentration camps and kept there without trial, where they were tortured and killed," Niemöller said. "My conscience is troubled that it was only in 1935 when the church was attacked did I begin to speak."

"Germany's guilt cannot be disputed and no historical investigations will be able to deny it," the First World War submarine commander said.

Baltimore Stevedores Call Work "Holiday"

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Nearly 5,000 stevedores called a work "holiday" here today, halting loading and unloading of about forty-five freighters and threatening delay in movement of other vessels lying at anchor and awaiting docking.

Lucien F. Rye, United States Conciliation Service supervisor, said the principal demands of the International Longshoremen's Association (ILA) included the employment of extra men in the open port freight and general cargo class work and among ship sealer.

J. H. Threadgill, Steamship Trade Association president, said in a statement that wage and hour demands were met recently. These include, he said, a twenty per cent increase in base pay or twenty-five cents an hour, a forty-hour, five-day week, with overtime rates for Saturday, Sunday and holiday work.

Servicemen's Ballot Question Is Raised

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—The question of mailing June 24 primary ballots to Maryland servicemen may be discussed with the War Relocation Commission at the request of Gov. O'Connor.

The chief executive disclosed today that he was consulting members of the commission concerning a possible meeting regarding the matter. Any action on mailing the ballots would have to be taken after April 25, the final date candidates may withdraw.

Servicemen's requests for primary ballots were sent to the War Relocation Commission, who then inform the secretary of state of the demands.

Shutdown
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including Pittsburgh and scores of smaller factory towns.

Vote Was 27-14 For Delay
President Mueller, of the union, said the committee vote to postpone the strike was twenty-seven in favor and thirteen against. Four members on the strike committee and six others on the picket lines did not vote.

"You can see the opposition in the size of the vote," Mueller said. "That's why it took so long. But everyone had a chance to get up and speak his mind."

Following the announcement, the company and union representatives and the mediators left for the mayor's office to draw up plans for the articles of arbitration.

Westernport Fire Company To Get New Hose Dryer

Equipment, Costing \$450, Will Be Purchased by Company and Town

By GEORGE W. DADDYSMAN
WESTERNPORT, Feb. 25.—An electric hose dryer will be purchased for the Westernport Fire Company of Westernport at a cost of \$450. The town of Westernport and the fire company will each pay half the cost. The equipment will dry 500 feet of hose in from four to six hours.

Major Milton McIntyre, George Knight and William Ravenscroft, commissioners of Westernport, and Chief William Mayles, Cecil Wilkinson and William Kolberg, members of the fire company, inspected the hose dryer owned by the Oakland fire company yesterday, and it was decided to buy one.

Dredging Funds Lacking

There are no specific funds for such a project as dredging of the George's creek and Potomac river, Congressman J. Glenn Beall has advised the civic improvement committee of the Westernport and Lions club.

The letter states that "the completion of the Savage river dam should be the number one postwar project in Western Maryland. Legislation has been introduced which provides funds for such projects discontinued because of the war."

Congressman Beall's letter was a reply to the Lions committee, in which they called attention to the above streams needing dredging to prevent a disastrous spring flood and pointed out that trees and bushes are growing in the beds of the streams.

Hillary Rites Held

Services for Mrs. Sadie E. Watkins Hillary, 64, wife of Albert W. Hillary, Sr., who died at her home at Halesboro, Md., February 14, were held at the funeral home of William J. Tucker and Sons, February 18, at 10 a. m.

Former Resident Dies

Mrs. Anna Pearce Duty, 81, widow of David Duty, formerly of Westernport, died February 14, at her home at Middlebourne, W. Va.

Surviving are two children, Miss Elsie Duty, a teacher at Middlebourne, and Ralph Duty, with the navy at Seattle, Wash.

Mrs. Delphia Biddle and Forest Dayton, Westernport, attended the funeral, which was held last Tuesday.

Marriage Announced

The marriage of Miss Elizabeth Catherine Goeke, daughter of Mrs. Pauline Albright Goeke, Fairmont, W. Va., to Carlton E. Pillauer, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Pillauer, Chantanooga, Tenn., has been announced.

The ceremony took place December 29, 1945, at the post chapel of Bushnell General Hospital, Brigham, Utah.

Forum Program Set

Flo Dawson, Louisville, Ky., lecturer, author and teacher, will be the speaker at the second series of forums of the Institute of International Understanding, sponsored by the Tri-Towns Rotary club, to be held Tuesday at 8 p. m. at the Piedmont high school auditorium.

Mrs. Dawson will discuss "The Constructive Use of Air Transportation."

Members and their husbands of the Westernport and Luke Civic club; Social Welfare club of Westernport; and the Piedmont Woman's club, will be guests of the Rotary club.

The octet of Bruce high school will not sing this Tuesday night as scheduled but will sing at the forum next Tuesday.

Personals

Miss Helen Wagoner, Ashfield street, Piedmont, is home from Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, W. Va., where she underwent an operation.

The Young Ladies' Bible class of Trinity Methodist church, Piedmont, will meet Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Arthur Umstot, 416 Maryland avenue, Westernport.

The Rev. Raymond L. Moore, Westernport, visited his father, W. F. Moore, Appomattox, Va., recently.

New Post Office

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recently discharged from the army after fifty-four months of service. He is employed by the Imperial Ice Cream company, Cumberland.

The couple will reside in Mt. Savage.

Miss Crump To Be Wed

Mr. and Mrs. James Ellsworth Crump have announced the coming marriage of their daughter, Miss Jean Crump, to James D. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Smith, Clarysville.

The ceremony will take place Wednesday at 8 p. m. at St. George's Episcopal church. The Rev. Rudolph Gunkle will officiate.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Beall high school, Frostburg. The bridegroom was recently honorably discharged from the army after thirty-one months of service in India.

Miss Cook Is Wed

Miss Dolly Cook, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Cook, Corriganville, and Orville E. Bridges, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bridges, Mt. Savage, were married January 10, in the Mt. Savage Methodist church.

The Rev. Lee Richert, pastor of the church, officiated at the ceremony. Mrs. Bernice Poleski was matron of honor and John Arnold served as best man.

Nada Louise Braun

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golden wedding anniversary at their home here in July 1945. His parents are Jesse Burke, who is 86 years old and his mother, the former Agnes Anna Spicker, who is 79. Interment was made in Morgantown.

Nazis Killed Kiava

Mrs. Alva Smigal of Douglas, who is still suffering from the horrors that her son suffered at the hands of the Japanese for more than three years while he was a prisoner, also learned new horrors this week when she received word of the violent death of her brother, Joseph Kiava, at the hands of the Germans during the occupancy of Poland.

English Bride Arrives

Of the three English brides who will come to Tucker county to join their husbands in the near future, Mrs. Elwood Kismore is the first to arrive with her fifteen-months-old son.

She is the former Mary Helena Sharp, of Wington, Cumberland county, England, and was a petty officer in the Wrens and worked as a chief commissary steward in Scotland where she first met her husband, Mate 2-c Elwood Lester Kismore, son of Theodore Kismore of Parsons, and Mrs. Charlie Young, of Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Kismore has been in the English navy for four years until she married her husband, December 21, 1943 at Exeter, England. They met in Scotland, September 8, of that year. He entered the service August 8, and was sent overseas within a few weeks after entering.

He participated in the battles of the Atlantic and the states in October, 1945 where he was discharged. He went to New York to meet his wife and they have now returned to Parsons to reside.

Mrs. Kismore said that she was ill for five days crossing in the Queen Mary but that her small son, Lester Lee, did not become ill at any time.

There are two more English brides to arrive in Tucker county. One will go to Hamblenton to live and one to Hendricks.

Adams Heads Farm Bureau

Selby Adams, Limestone, was elected president of the Tucker county farm bureau at a meeting held Saturday afternoon in Parsons. He will succeed George Kiser, president for the past two years.

Other officers elected were R. E. Aberie, Dry Fork, vice president; and Miss Elsie Painter, secretary-treasurer.

Directors will be George Kiser, for Blackfoot district; C. C. Harsh, for Clover district; M. L. Cooper, for Davis district; Ben F. Thompson, for Dry Fork; Okey Stiles for Licking; and B. B. Parsons for St. George district. Committees will be named at the next meeting.

Spencer, announce the birth of a daughter in DuPue hospital, Spencer, February 18. The child has been named Beverly Ingrid. The mother is the former Betty Aronson, daughter of Carl Aronson, Davis. The father is George Spencer, at the Pharmacy school at West Virginia university, Morgantown, since his discharge from the navy air corps, in which he held the rank of ensign.

Hyndman Church

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Bedford Inn for the noon meal and afternoon session.

The association has secured Dr. Dimitri of Indiana State Teachers' college, speaker at the annual meeting of the state group.

Music and motion pictures will intersperse short discussions by leaders in agricultural and home economics activities in the county.

Honored at Party

Mrs. Margaret Sager was honored with a birthday party Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Jamison. Musical entertainment was furnished by George Bishop and his son, Kenneth, and several selections were sung by Fay Emrich, Ellerslie, Md.

Refreshments were served and many gifts were presented to the guest of honor. Twenty guests were present.

Miss Betty Phillippi entertained with a birthday party in honor of Mrs. Ernest Seignor Saturday evening at the latter's apartment in the A. G. Crabb building.

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Personals

Members of the Church of the Brethren here have been informed that the Rev. Lawrence Bianci, Italian evangelist of Winger, Pa., is critically ill at Session City, Pa. He is well known in the community, having held two series of evangelistic meetings in recent years.

Luman Evans of the merchant marine is visiting his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Charles Evans.

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Palbearers were Robert, William and Lawrence Klosterman and Robert, Edgar and William Shuck.

MRS. ALLIENE DAVIS

Mrs. Alliene Scott Davis, 84, died at 11:15 p. m. yesterday at the home of her son, B. J. Davis, 722 East Oldtown road, with whom she had been making her home for the past four years. Mrs. Davis had been in failing health since suffering a fractured hip in a fall last December.

A native of Cumberland, Mrs. Davis was a daughter of the late Charles Alexander and Margaret Dowden Scott. The family later moved to Keyser, W. Va., and resided there for nearly fifty years.

Mrs. Davis was the wife of F. Wright Davis, Keyser contractor, who died in 1921. Mrs. Davis was a member of Trinity Lutheran church, Keyser.

Besides her son, she is survived by another son, Raymond Davis, Cresco, Va., and five grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow at 2:30 p. m. at the home of her son, 722 East Oldtown road. Interment will be in Rose Hill cemetery. Other arrangements are incomplete.

The family requests that flowers be omitted.

FRANK H. LANTZ

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Funeral services will be held tomorrow for Frank H. (Moe) Lantz, 71, retired Associated Press telegraph operator who died suddenly on Saturday.

Services will be held from the William Cook funeral home, followed by interment in Baltimore cemetery.

A native of Keedysville, Md., Lantz became a telegraph operator in 1889 at Cumberland, Md., and subsequently worked in many cities, copying telegraph news.

He became an Associated Press operator in 1897. In 1918 he came to the Baltimore bureau of The Associated Press, where he remained until his retirement in 1939.

COUNCIL TAKES NO ACTION ON PROPOSAL TO WIDEN STREET

The mayor and city council yesterday failed to take action on a proposal to widen Greenway avenue from the end of the Fort Hill high school property to Williams street, after the cost was estimated at \$211,138.

M. H. Burgess, owner of the property which extends about eight feet out into the street, has offered to deed the strip to the city in return for a wall and a walk into the house, according to Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer.

Cost of that work is estimated at \$860 and is included in the overall figure. The rest of the money would be needed to replace the curb and sidewalk and to pave the street.

Opposing the move because of the cost, Commissioner Hunter B. Healy said he does not see how conditions will be improved, since persons leaving the school now drive from a 40-foot wide street to one 30 feet wide and then to Williams street, which is 24 feet wide. He pointed out that if the improvement is carried out, a 40-foot street would connect with one 24 feet wide, stating he does not think it would be any better than the present arrangement.

Although he stated he wanted to buy a lot at Williams and Greenway, across from the Burgess property, from the city, James A. Kuhl, 414 Warden avenue, declined to make an offer and refused to consider a proposal of \$320. The lot was deeded to the city by A. L. Brown after a paving lien of \$960 was filed against it.

Country Club Chef Is Released Pending Action of Grand Jury

George Wertz, Cumberland Country Club chef, who has signed a statement admitting to throwing two pavement bricks through the glass door of the Red Men's club and to breaking and entering Richardson's confectionery and the Trexler cafe, has been released on his own personal recognizance pending action of the April term grand jury.

State Attorney Morgan C. Harris said Wertz was released on his own recognizance since he was unable to post a bond, the state attorney's office said.

A report filed at city hall yesterday by Detective Lt. B. F. Gaffney stated that Wertz, who was previously convicted of larceny in Bedford, Pa., also was ordered to take the pledge for a period of one year.

The heavy glass door of the Red Men's club on Bedford street was smashed early Saturday morning and a woman gave police a description of the man she said threw the bricks. At police headquarters, the report states, the woman identified the man as Wertz from photographs shown her.

Wertz was arrested and confessed to breaking and entering Richardson's, Harrison and Park streets, a year ago, and Trexler's, Park and Williams street, two years ago, as well as throwing the bricks, the report reads.

Footer Building

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Rizer said he pointed out that traffic congestion at the latter place was cited in Stewart's letter to the mayor and council as one of the reasons why a new bus terminal should be provided.

If the terminal is moved to the Footer building, Rizer said, plans will be made to provide a restaurant and a waiting room in a wing of the building paralleling Howard street.

Westbound buses could come in by Frederick street, their present route, and south on Mechanic street and reach the Footer building without using Baltimore street, while eastbound buses coming in on Route 40 would continue directly down Mechanic street to the building.

Would Remodel Building

Although some traffic problems remain to be solved, Rizer said, he and Chief Eyerman will recommend that the building be used as the new terminal.

Besides Stewart, Rizer and chief Eyerman, others who inspected the building yesterday afternoon were Owen Hitchens, president of the Tri-State Mine and Mill Supply Company, and James C. Shriver, local postmaster.

Stewart said last night that his firm has been interviewed by the operators of five intrastate bus lines relative to establishing a terminal in the building.

He estimated that 4,000 persons would use the terminal daily if present plans are put into effect.

Stewart stated that if the mayor and city council approve the proposal, he will remodel the ground floor and second floor, a large waiting room and restaurant, at an estimated cost of between \$25,000 and \$30,000.

Co-operation

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Foreign Wars, University Women, Catholic Daughters of America, various price panels and OPA groups and other groups from Baltimore, accompanying McCormick here, included J. Charles Judge, assistant to the director and in charge of Maryland boards; Columbus (Jack) Oakley, district board enforcement co-ordinator; Mrs. Lawrence Naylor, district information officer; C. Ed Sparrow, OPA information division; and A. D. Phelan, district board supervisor for Western Maryland.

Representatives from the OPA in Oakland included Mrs. Helen Thayer, price clerk and Mrs. Edwin Rock, chief clerk.

They met Mrs. Mary S. Jones of the local office and Mrs. Thayer and Mrs. Rock in a conference during the afternoon.

Double Murder, Suicide

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Baltimore County Police Chief Oscar M. Grimes reported today that autopsy reports confirmed a police theory of double murder and suicide in the deaths of a father, his son and daughter, whose bodies were found at Texas, Md., last Thursday.

Australian Veteran Has Two Hearts

Brisbane (Queensland) doctors are showing more than ordinary interest in an Australian war veteran who is seeking treatment for two hearts—both his own. The Australian Weekly Review received regularly by F. T. Small, points out.

The man was returned from Timor with a minor leg ailment and a heart condition that baffled front-line medical experts. Brisbane physicians were equally dissatisfied with his heart condition but were unable to find an active symptom that pointed to any specific trouble.

Under X-ray they found that the soldier had two hearts, each beating alternately. A specialist called into consultation said, "He'll probably live to a ripe old age. His chance of dying with a broken heart is two to one against—and that's important these days."

Organized Labor

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and from labor—one each from AFL and CIO.

Should the labor members pull out, this official said, administrators of the wage-price policy would be faced to by-pass the wage board entirely, throwing all wage-price cases direct to OPA, or continue the board as a public body without labor representation.

Green Protests Control

He added that the William Green, AFL president, conferred Saturday with Secretary of Labor Schweikert and vigorously protested the wage control exercised by the stabilization board.

CIO President Philip Murray was asked at the news conference which followed the meeting whether he would do what he would do in the event his proposed "remedy" were rejected, and he replied:

"We will cross that bridge when we come to it."

Both AFL and CIO warned strikes might multiply if the provisions of the law, which requires approval of negotiated wage increases by the Wage Stabilization Board, is carried out.

Murray wrote Bowles that "having eliminated government intervention from the disputes phase of labor relations, it would be catastrophic to reintroduce it on the level of wage settlements."

"To do so would mean not only to abandon a fundamental premise of federal labor policy of encouraging collective bargaining to the widest extent possible but also to invite destructive delays and inevitable confusion and strikes."

WSB Holds Closed Sessions

The CIO reaffirmed its support of price control.

AFL unions have settled wage disputes for increases as little as ten per cent in some cases. Wage Stabilization Board approval of greater increases for other unions in an industry would create unrest and a desire to get more, the AFL unions argue.

For three days the Wage Stabilization Board has held heated, closed sessions in an effort to reach a satisfactory settlement. Murray suggested the board perform only the functions originally intended for it—passing upon wage reductions and inequities and cleaning up the backlog of problems left by the liquidated War Labor Board.

The OPA and CPA appropriations were slashed by identical votes of 11 to 9 in the Senate Appropriations committee.

The OPA appropriation had been for \$1,854,000 and the CPA's for \$1,500,000.

Sen. McKellar (D-Tenn.) acting committee chairman, said the cuts might be restored when the bill reaches the Senate floor, probably tomorrow.

Eccles, federal reserve chief, noted that living costs had risen by thirty per cent since prewar days, and said they might climb another ten per cent under the new policy.

He currently supports the administration drive for continuation of price controls, warning that scrapping them might have "disastrous" consequences if people lost confidence in the purchasing power of the dollar. Eccles expressed the belief that the federal budget might be brought into balance next year if the price line is held under the new wage-price policy and there is large production.

Would Continue OPA

To hold down inflation pressures, he proposed:

1. Continuing OPA for at least an additional year beyond the June 30 expiration date.

2. A substantial increase in the capital gains tax to put the brakes on speculative buying, especially in the stock market.

3. The government should refrain from creating further budget credit, "a primary source of inflationary pressures," by bringing about a balanced budget, and beginning to pay off some of the nation's debt as soon as possible. He suggested also that commercial banks sell some of their government securities to non-bank investors.

To argue against all price controls," Eccles declared, "is like arguing against vaccination on the ground that it is better to contract smallpox in the hope that you may recover from the disease than it is to take the necessary precautions against contracting it while efforts are being made to eradicate the sources of infection."

PASTOR NIEMOELLER SAYS GERMAN PEOPLE MUST SHARE WAR GUILT

FRANKFURT, Feb. 25 (AP)—In a secret speech to the American Seventh Army interment camp, Pastor Martin Niemöller said the German people must share the "mountain of guilt" for the war and not try to lay all the blame on the Nazis or war criminals.

Niemöller's speech was not released until tonight, although it had been made several days ago. He declared that the church had failed in Germany because it failed to rouse people against Nazi concentration camps and other horrors when they first began and did not speak out until the church itself was attacked.

"My conscience first realized that I did not protest back in 1933, when my Communist brothers were sent to concentration camps and kept there without trial, where they were tortured and killed," Niemöller said. "My conscience is troubled that it was only in 1935 when the church was attacked did I begin to speak."

"Germany's guilt cannot be disputed and no historical investigations will be able to deny it," the First World War submarine commander said.

Baltimore Stevedores Call Work "Holiday"

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Nearly 5,000 stevedores called a work "holiday" here today, halting loading and unloading of about forty-five freighters and threatening delay in movement of other vessels lying at anchor and awaiting docking.

Lucien F. Rye, United States Conciliation Service supervisor, said the principal demands of the International Longshoremen's Association (ILA) included the employment of extra men in the open top freight and general cargo class work and among ship seafarers.

J. H. Threadgill, Steamship Trade Association president, said in a statement that wage and hour demands were met recently. These include, he said, a twenty per cent increase in the base pay or twenty-five cents an hour, a forty-hour, five-day week, with overtime rates for Saturday, Sunday and holiday work.

Stevedores' Ballot Question Is Raised

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—The question of mailing June 24 primary ballots to Maryland stevedores may be discussed with the War Ballots Commission at the request of Gov. O'Connor.

The chief executive disclosed today that he was consulting members of the commission concerning a possible meeting regarding the matter. Any action on mailing the ballots would have to be taken after April 25, the final date candidates may withdraw.

Stevedores' requests for primary ballots are sent to local election supervisors, who then inform the secretary of state of the demands.

Shutdown

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including production and scores of smaller factory towns.

Vote Was 27-14 For Delay

President Mueller, of the union, said the committee vote to postpone the strike was twenty-seven in favor and fourteen against. Four members on the strike committee and six others on the picket lines did not vote.

"You can see the opposition in the size of the vote," Mueller said. "That's why it took so long. But everyone had a chance to get up and speak his piece."

Following the announcement, the committee and union representatives and the mediators left for the mayor's office to draw up plans for the articles of arbitration.

Mueller said the first arbitration session is tentatively set for 2 a. m. tomorrow.

The strike was only a half hour away when postponement was announced.

Hours ahead of the strike deadline, the Pittsburgh Railways Company, operators of the city's transit system, prepared to take all street cars out of service before a power curtailment set in. Downtown buildings, stores, and other businesses prepared to close; hurried hotel managers were ready to operate without heat, hot water and light. Public schools were preparing to operate if they could.

On February 12, the workers called a similar strike, but it was suspended by the union "in the interest of the public" after nineteen hours.

AFL Union

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counsel had advised that the bargaining request was precluded by state law.

The mayor appealed to Murray to intervene in an effort to avert a strike. Murray was in Washington today, conferring with key CIO union officials.

Pope Denounces

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war engaged against Russia in 1941."

CINDERELLA GIRL



SELECTED as "Miss Cinderella" of Mobile, Alabama's 1946 Mardi Gras celebration, 10-year-old Bernice Morgan (above) plays a prominent role in the postwar renewal of the city's colorful pageant. Bernice was chosen in tribute to her courage and spirit in overcoming a dread blood disease in 1941.

Clafly declared the coast guard said Pink had been missing since December 1. On that day, the coast guard was informed by fishermen that Pink's boat, in which he frequently went to Bay Side Beach, was found unmaneuvered after it had been "in trouble."

The coast guard said Pink was serving at Seven Post Knoll light-house.

Clafly reported the body was found near the mouth of South river by Stanley Windsor and Thomas Trot, both of Annapolis, and George Hafele, Baltimore, who were fishing in the area. He added that Pink's wife, Angela, lived in Baltimore.

Harford Attorney Faces Disbarment Proceedings

BEL AIR, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—Disbarment proceedings were filed in Harford County Circuit Court today against James H. Broumel, attorney magistrate and former member of the Maryland House of Delegates.

Judge Frederick Lee Coburn, acting on a petition of the Harford County Bar Association, gave Broumel until March 15 to show cause why he should not be disbarred or otherwise disciplined.

The disbarment petition filed by the bar association through its griev

Income Tax Primer

Business Travel Expenses May Be Deducted in Figuring Income Tax

By ALEXANDER R. GEORGE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP)—Expenses for travel, meals and lodging while away from home on your employer's business may be deducted in figuring the income on which you pay tax.

You cannot deduct these travel expenses if you use your withholding receipt as a return. That very simplified form has no place for them. If you claim such expenses you should make your return on Form 1040, either the short or long form.

Among the expenses which you may deduct for "travel, meals and lodging" are railroad, airplane, bus and steamship fare, Porter charges, excess baggage charges, cost of baggage transfer, hotel expenses, meals and taxi fares.

If you are a businessman you may deduct these travel expenses if they are incurred in the carrying on of your regular trade or business. You also deduct incidental travel ex-

penses, such as tips, in reasonable amounts.

If you live at or near a factory or other place of business but maintain a home at some other place for your family or dependents, you are considered "at home" where you live and are not allowed to deduct the cost of board or lodging while at your place of business.

On the other hand, suppose you run a regular business in your home town but make occasional trips to Washington, D. C., to consult with, give advice or provide other periodic services to the government. You may deduct the necessary expenses of those trips even if you stay a long time in Washington.

You are not allowed to deduct travel expenses which are of a personal nature. These include bus and train fare and similar costs of traveling between your home and any place where you are required to take a new job or to seek employment.

To get travel deductions, attach to your return on Form 1040 a statement showing the nature of your business, the number of days away from home on account of business, the total amount of expenses for meals and lodging, and the total amount of "other expenses" in connection with travel.

(Tomorrow: Dependents).

LISTEN WORLD

By ELSIE ROBINSON
(Registered U. S. Patent Office)

DO YOUR BEST

Yes, I know you get sick of trying to do the decent thing. Nothing ever seems to turn out the way you planned. You always seem to let yourself in for a lot of grief. Sometimes you vow, as you are vowing now, that you'll cut it out and just gratify your own selfish whims without trying to live up to any impossible standards.

Don't! Don't give up! GO ON TRYING. GO ON TRYING TO DO YOUR BEST. IT'S THE ONLY PROGRAM THAT WILL PAY IN THE LONG RUN. But why should I try to do my best? you say, a little cross at everyone involved, including me. "What will it buy me?"

It may not buy you anything in terms of dollars and cents, but it will feed a deeper desire in you than dollars and cents, for it will give you peace.

It's a great mistake to think that we do our best simply for the sake of present praise or future rewards. We don't. There's a far more subtle and vital reason for it.

WE DO OUR BEST BECAUSE IT FEEDS CERTAIN DEFINITE HUNGERS WITHIN OUR NATURES. WE STRANGELY COMPLICATED HUMAN BEINGS HUNGER AS DEFINITELY TO BE BRAVE AND HONEST, DECENT AND KIND—TO LIVE UP TO THE BEST WITHIN OURSELVES—AS WE HUNGER FOR FOOD OR THIRST FOR DRINK.

These hungers may be obscured by unhappy circumstances until they seem almost lost. Yet they nevertheless persist. Deep within ourselves the desire goes on to reach the tallest height of which we are capable.

"But that's just one way of gratifying our pride," you say. What does it matter what we call it as long as it lifts us out of the gutter?

And the simple truth is that most of us want to be lifted out of the gutter. We want to rise

above our lesser, meaner selves. We want to be respected and admired by our fellow men and to do the things for which men are respected and admired.

You're not just trying to do your best so that St. Peter will give you a gold star on your department card after the resurrection day. You want to do your best because you need to do your best right here and now. It is one of the greatest earthly needs and you'll never be at peace with yourself until you gratify it.

So, gwan—do your best. Never mind if the other fellow lets you down. Never mind if you meet up with ingratitude or malicious misunderstanding. Do your best at any rate because it's the thing you really want to do.

DO YOUR BEST BECAUSE IT'S THE ONLY THING THAT IS WORTHY OF YOU TO DO AND YOU WILL NEVER BE SATISFIED WITH LESS.

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Concerts Are Given At Allegany High

The Brandt Concert party, under the direction of Hugo Brandt, concert pianist, presented programs at two assemblies in Allegany high school auditorium yesterday.

Supporting Mr. Brandt were Miss Evans, contralto, and Miss Violet Wesley, soprano, both well-known artists in New York and Chicago concert circles.

They presented a number of light and popular numbers which included: "Love is Like a Firefly," "By the Brook," "Alice Blue Gown," "When a Maid Comes Knocking at Your Heart," "Rhapsody in Blue," "Tonight We Love," "Warsaw Concerto," "Clair de Lune," "Polonaise," "Symphony," "My Hero," "Always," and "Flight of the Bumble Bee."

In addition, the group presented a musical tableau, "The Moonlight Sonata," as the basis of how Beethoven came to write the inspiring number.

Col. Richardson Dies

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Col. John Buchanan Richardson, infantry, United States Army, retired, former adjutant general of the Third service command, died today at the Baltimore Marine hospital. He was 64. A native of Woodville, Miss., he was graduated from West Point in 1904 and was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross in World War One. He had been living on Gibson island. Besides his widow, Col. Richardson leaves one daughter.

Named to VA Post

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—P. H. Dryden, Pocomoke, Md., will succeed Col. George E. Jams, Baltimore, as assistant administrator for construction and supplies in the Veterans' Administration. A native of Pocomoke and graduate of the University of Maryland, he has been director of real estate service for the VA since January. He is a veteran of both World wars.

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High School Girl Who Loves Married Man Asks Advice

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Dear Miss Fairfax: I have such a problem on my hands. I'm a high school girl, but I am really far more mature than the average high school girl.

I am in love with a married man. I fell in love with him three years ago. I haven't been seeing him steady since then, because I went away for awhile. He is not the kind of man a girl like me should love, and I know it. So therefore when I came back from my vacation I decided I would never see him again, and I thought I was nearly over him. But then a few nights ago I met him, and he again stirred up that love for him, and now I feel I can never live without him. At the mere mention of his name, my heart does a rumba. Shall I go on seeing this man again and again?

PUZZLED AND WORRIED

You don't really need any answer at all to this letter, do you? You already know perfectly well that you're a very foolish girl indeed if you keep on seeing this man.

You say yourself that you know he is not the kind of man with whom you ought to have anything to do. If you are as mature as you think you are, you'll make up your mind once and for all never to see him again, and stick to it.

Don't sit home moaning about him, either. Go out with boys your own age and have some normal good times. You were "nearly over him" once. You can get entirely over him for good, if you really want to.

Beginning of a Friendship

Dear Miss Fairfax: About three months ago I started going to this place of amusement with my girl friend. While there, this fellow tried to get acquainted with me, but I took it to be just another fellow looking for a pickup, so I didn't bother.

Since that night, every week after we have been there about ten minutes, he comes in, always managing to sit right in front of us. He is always alone, and every few minutes he turns around, looking at me and giving me such big smiles.

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Yet he makes no attempt to speak. I have grown to really like this fellow, yet I'm afraid to speak first, as I don't want to be cheap, and I don't know if it would be proper. He seems to have all the qualities of a perfect gentleman. We are both in our early thirties. Please advise me what to do in this matter, or don't you think he cares?

CURIOUS.

It is rather difficult to give you any useful advice without knowing just what sort of place of amusement it is that you're going to. If it's just the movies, and this man knows that you will be sitting in a certain spot on the same night each week, I think I'd be rather doubtful of the advisability of encouraging him. If it's some other perfectly legitimate recreational center, such as a club, isn't there a hostess, or someone else, who could introduce you?

Of course, when people go regularly to such places as skating rinks and the like, they often become informally acquainted with others who are also regular visitors. But naturally, in any event, a girl should be especially sensible in her behavior when she meets a man under any unconventional circumstances.

Name and Address, Please

To "Ollie": You ask for advice in your problem, but you ask, also, that your letter should not be printed, yet you do not give me any name and address to which I might write a personal letter.

If you would like me to write you, but do not want the letter to come to your home, perhaps the letter could be addressed to you in care of general delivery at the post office in your town. But I'd have to have your name and the name of the place to which you'd like the letter sent, in any case.

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Gets Co-operative Post

SALISBURY, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—John J. Scanlon, marketing specialist of the co-operative division, Farm Credit Administration, has been named managing director of the Eastern Poultry Co-operatives, Inc. He comes to the agency on a leave of absence from the Department of Agriculture.



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Seeks Congress Seat

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—Arch McDonald, Silver Spring, has announced his candidacy in the Democratic fight for the nomination for Sixth district congressman. Dawson Horine, Myersville, said several months ago that he would run.

Announces Candidacy

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—D. K. McLaughlin, attorney, has announced his candidacy for state senator in the Republican primaries next June. He was chairman of the Republican State Central Committee for Washington county until he enlisted in the navy.

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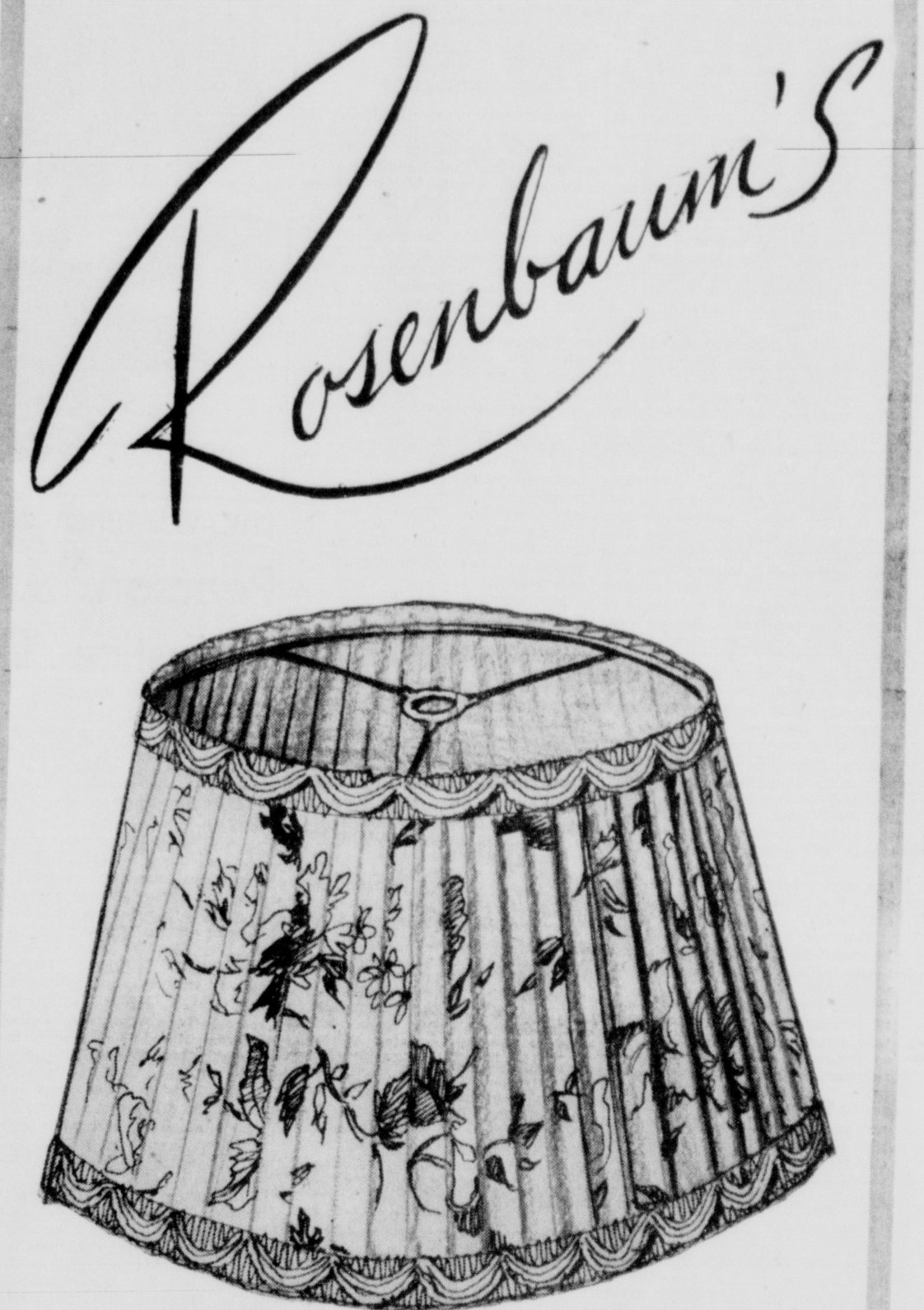
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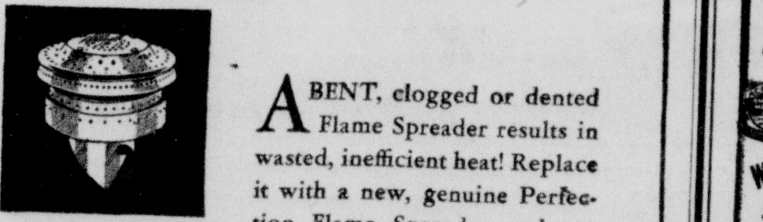
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Income Tax Primer

Business Travel Expenses May Be Deducted in Figuring Income Tax

By ALEXANDER R. GEORGE
WASHINGTON, Feb. 25 (AP)—Expenses for travel, meals and lodging while away from home on your employer's business may be deducted in figuring the income on which you pay tax.

You cannot deduct these travel expenses if you use your withholding receipt as a return. That very simplified form has no place for them. If you claim such expenses you should make your return on Form 1040, either the short or long form.

Among the expenses which you may deduct for "travel, meals and lodging" are railroad, airplane, bus and steamship fare, Porter charges, excess baggage charges, cost of baggage transfer, hotel expenses, meals and taxi fares.

If you are a businessman you may deduct these travel expenses if they are incurred in the carrying on of your regular trade or business. You also deduct incidental travel ex-

penses, such as tips, in reasonable amount.

If you live at or near a factory or other place of business but maintain a home at some other place for your family or dependents, you are considered "at home" where you live and are not allowed to deduct the cost of board or lodging while at your place of business.

On the other hand, suppose you run a regular business in your home town but make occasional trips to Washington, D. C., to consult with, give advice or provide other periodic services to the government. You may deduct the necessary expenses of those trips even if you stay a long time in Washington.

You are not allowed to deduct travel expenses which are of a personal nature. These include bus and train fare and similar costs of traveling between your home and may not deduct travel expenses incurred on a trip to another city to take a new job or to seek employment.

To get travel deductions, attach to your return on Form 1040 a statement showing the nature of your business, the number of days away from home on account of business, the total amount of expenses for meals and lodging, and the total amount of "other expenses" in connection with travel.

(Tomorrow: Dependents).

LISTEN WORLD

By ELSIE ROBINSON
(Registered U.S. Patent Office)

DO YOUR BEST

Yes, I know you get sick of trying to do the decent thing. Nothing ever seems to turn out the way you planned. You always seem to let yourself in for a lot of grief. Sometimes you vow, as you are vowing now, that you'll cut it out and just gratify your own selfish whims without trying to live up to any impossible standards.

Don't! Don't give up! GO ON TRYING TO DO YOUR BEST. IT'S THE ONLY PROGRAM THAT WILL PAY IN THE LONG RUN. "But why should I try to do my best?" you say, a little cross at everyone involved, including me. "What will it buy me?"

It may not buy you anything in terms of dollars and cents, but it will buy you a deeper desire in you than dollars and cents, harps or halos will ever feed.

It's a great mistake to think that we do our best simply for the sake of present praise or future rewards. We don't. There's a far more subtle and vital reason for it.

WE DO OUR BEST BECAUSE IT FEELS CERTAIN DEFINITE HUNTERS WITHIN OUR NATURES. WE STRANGELY COMPLICATED HUMAN BEINGS HUNGER AS DEFINITELY TO BE BRAVE AND HONEST, DECENT AND KIND—TO LIVE UP TO THE BEST WITHIN OURSELVES—AS WE EVER HUNGER FOR FOOD OR THIRST FOR DRINK.

These hungers may be obscured by unhappy circumstances until they seem almost lost. Yet they nevertheless persist. Deep within ourselves the desire goes on to reach the tallest height of which we are capable.

"But that's just one way of gratifying our pride," you say. What does it matter what we call it as long as it lifts us out of the gutter?

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above our lesser, meaner selves. We want to be respected and admired by our fellow men and to do the things for which men are respected and admired.

You're not just trying to do your best so that St. Peter will give you a gold star on your department card after the resurrection day. You want to do your best because you need to do your best right here and now. It is one of the greatest earthly needs and you'll never be content or at peace with yourself until you gratify it.

So, gwan—do your best. Never mind if the other fellow lets you down. Never mind if you meet up with ingratitude or malicious misunderstanding. Do your best at any rate because it's the thing you really want to do.

DO YOUR BEST BECAUSE IT'S THE ONLY THING THAT IS WORTHY OF YOU TO DO AND YOU WILL NEVER BE SATISFIED WITH LESS.

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Concerts Are Given At Allegany High

The Brandt Concert party, under the direction of Hugo Brandt, concert pianist, presented programs at two assemblies in Allegany high school auditorium yesterday.

Supporting Mr. Brandt were Miss Evans, contralto, and Miss Violet Wesley, soprano, both well-known artists in New York and Chicago concert circles.

They presented a number of light musical and popular numbers which included: "Love is Like a Firefly," "By the Brook," "Alice Blue Gown," "When a Maid Comes Knocking at Your Heart," "Rhapsody in Blue," "Tonight We Love," "Warsaw Concerto," "Clair de Lune," "Polonaise," "Symphony," "My Hero," "Always," and "Flight of the Bumble Bee."

In addition, the group presented a musical tableau, "The Moonlight Sonata," as the basis of how Beethoven came to write the inspiring number.

Col. Richardson Dies

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—Col. John Buchanan Richardson, infantry, United States Army retired, former adjutant general of the Third service command, died today at the Baltimore Marine hospital. He was 64. A native of Woodville, Miss., he was graduated from West Point in 1904 and was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross in World War One. He had been living on Gibson Island. Besides his widow, Col. Richardson leaves one daughter.

Named to VA Post

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25 (AP)—P. H. Dryden, Pocomoke, Md., will succeed Col. George E. Uams, Baltimore, as assistant administrator for construction and supplies in the Veterans' Administration. A native of Pocomoke and graduate of the University of Maryland, he has been director of real estate service for the VA since January. He is a veteran of both World wars.

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High School Girl Who Loves Married Man Asks Advice

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX
Famous Authority on Problems of Love and Marriage

Dear Miss Fairfax: I am so troubled! I have such a problem on my hands. I'm a high school girl, but I am really far more mature than the average high school girl.

I am in love with a married man. I fell in love with him three years ago. I haven't been seeing him steady since then, because I went away for awhile. He is not the kind of man a girl like me should love, and I know it. So therefore when I came back from my vacation I decided I would never see him again, and I thought I was nearly over him. But then a few nights ago I met him, and he again stirred up that love for him, and now I feel I can never live without him. At the mere mention of his name, my heart does a rumba. Shall I go on seeing this man again and again?

PUZZLED AND WORRIED.

You don't really need any answer at all to this letter, do you? You already know perfectly well that you're a very foolish girl indeed if you keep on seeing this man. You say yourself that you know he is not the kind of man with whom you ought to have anything to do. If you are as mature as you think you are, you'll make up your mind once and for all never to see him again, and stick to it.

Don't sit home moaning about him, either. Go out with boys your own age and have some normal good times. You were "nearly over him" once. You can get entirely over him for good, if you really want to.

Beginning of a Friendship

Dear Miss Fairfax: About three months ago I started going to this place of amusement with my girl friend. While there this fellow tried to get acquainted with me, but I took it to be just another fellow looking for a pickup, so I didn't bother.

Since that night, every week after we have been there about ten minutes, he comes in, always manning to sit right in front of us. He is always alone, and every few minutes he turns around, looking at me and giving me such big smiles.

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Yet he makes no attempt to speak. I have grown to really like this fellow, yet I'm afraid to speak first, as I don't want to be cheap, and I don't know if it would be proper. He seems to have all the qualities of a perfect gentleman. We are both in our early thirties. Please advise me what to do in this matter, or don't you think he cares?

CURIOUS.

It is rather difficult to give you any useful advice without knowing just what sort of place of amusement it is that you're going to. If it's just the movies, and this man knows that you will be sitting in a certain spot on the same night each week, I think I'd be rather doubtful of the advisability of encouraging him. If it's some other perfectly legitimate recreational center, such as a club, isn't there a hostess, or some one else, who could introduce you?

Of course, when people go regularly to such places as skating rinks and the like, they often become informally acquainted with others who are also regular visitors. But naturally, in any event, a girl should be especially sensible in her behavior when she meets a man under any unconventional circumstances.

Name and Address, Please

To "Ollie": You ask for advice in your problem, but you ask, also, that your letter should not be printed, yet you do not give me any name and address to which I might write a personal letter.

If you would like me to write you, but do not want the letter to come to your home, perhaps the letter could be addressed to you in care of general delivery at the post office in your town. But I'd have to have your name and the name of the place to which you'd like the letter sent, in any case.

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Gets Co-operative Post

SALISBURY, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—John J. Scanlon, marketing specialist of the co-operative division, Farm Credit Administration, has been made managing director of the Eastern Poultry Co-operatives, Inc. He comes to the agency on a leave of absence from the Department of Agriculture.



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Seeks Congress Seat

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—Arch McDonald Silver Spring, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic fight for the nomination for Sixth district congressman. Dawson Horne, Myersville, said several months ago that he would run.

Announces Candidacy

HAGERSTOWN, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—D. K. McLaughlin, attorney, has announced his candidacy for state senator in the Republican primaries next June. He was chairman of the Republican State Central Committee for Washington county until he enlisted in the navy.

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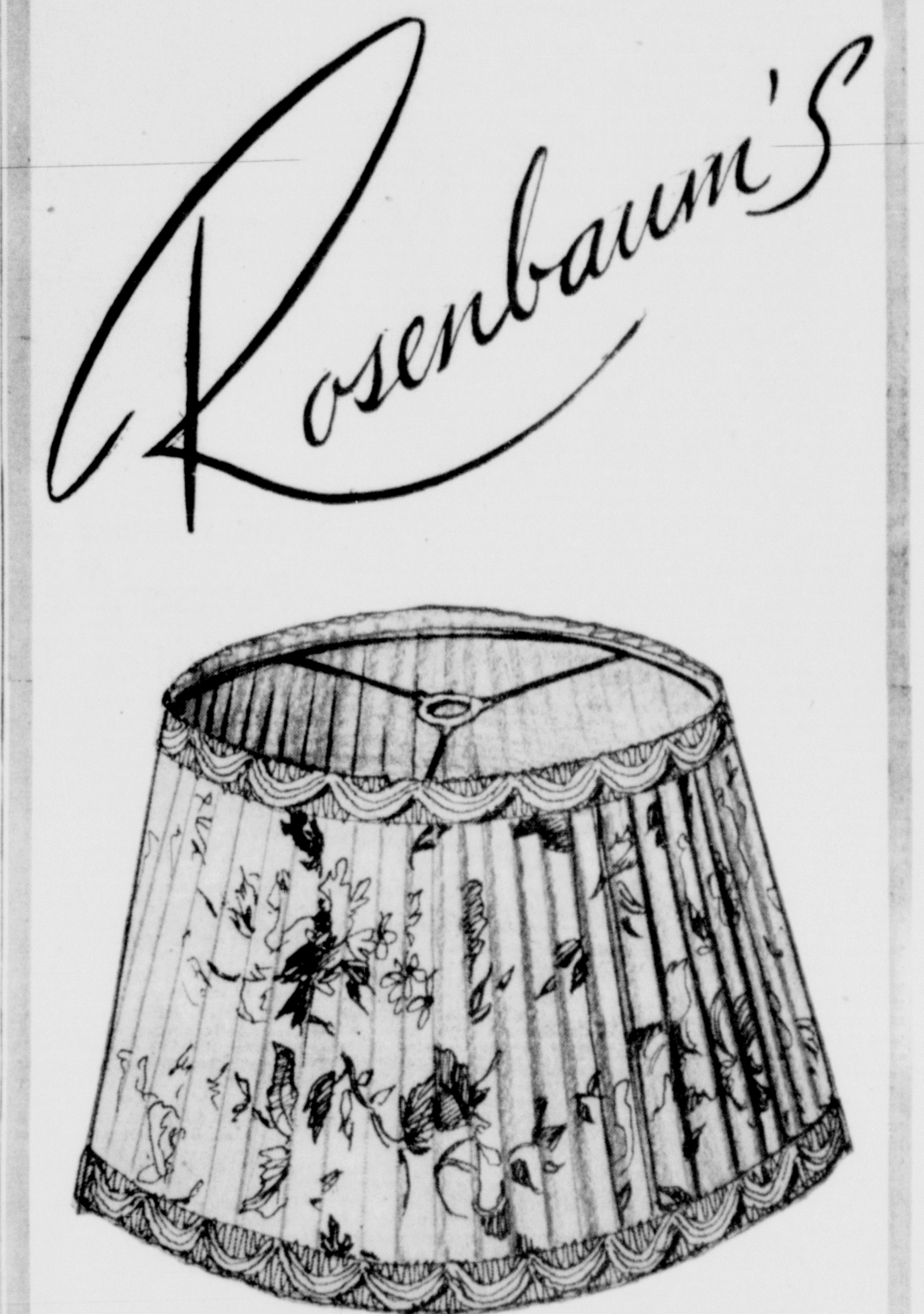
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Destructive
Price Policy

PAUL A. PORTER, recently appointed head of the Office of Price Administration, has publicly pledged that the present price line will be held until production eliminates the danger of inflation. The OPA is "not in receivership," he says, and he has not assumed "the job of a liquidator."

This is all very well with regard to prices, but what will the OPA do toward encouraging production? Mr. Porter contends that price control aids production by preventing the hoarding of raw materials and semi-finished parts and that, in effect, it puts a floor under profits by permitting price adjustment when an industry can show its earnings are below peacetime levels.

But some of the regulations heretofore imposed by OPA will have to be changed with respect to those peacetime levels. Henry Ford II, president of the Ford Motor Company, has pointed out with a specific example how this has retarded production and has been driving producers out of business.

This concerned the case of a small but vital truck part. The company that had been furnishing Ford for years with thousands of these parts reported to it that it had lost \$300,000 during 1945 because the cost of production was greater than the ceiling price of fifty cents each fixed by the OPA. Application was made for an increase to sixty cents. OPA was willing to go to fifty-four cents, but no higher. The concern discontinued making the parts. Ford then cast about for a new supplier, and after some delay located two.

How come? Well, what happened here is precisely what has happened to hundreds of other small manufacturing concerns that have run up against unreasonable OPA regulations. The old-line producer that had been supplying Ford had a business history going back beyond the war days. Its ceiling price, therefore, was based on pre-war costs. The new suppliers, both of which most likely had never made the parts before, were given prices, as is the custom, based on present-day costs.

The net result of such a policy has been to drive out of the market many established, reputable firms which find it impossible to do business at the ceilings established, and to substitute for them newcomers who are allowed substantially higher ceilings. Through this silly and arbitrary regulation, the purpose of price control is defeated, reliable producers of established reputation are penalized, some of them being put out of business, production is curtailed and, in a great many cases, shoddy products are thrust upon the public.

In view of such consequences, it is no wonder that Representative Hartley (R-N.J.) comes out with a statement declaring that the OPA is "engaged in an unlawful conspiracy to wreck the profit system" and is trying to "change established methods of doing business for an average maximum price policy, he says, is "the most vicious form of bureaucracy every attempted," and is "selling America short."

Certainly something should be done by OPA to correct the inequities shown by the case cited.

The New Bread
Flour Is Good

SOMEWHAT REASSURING is the statement coming from the University of Maryland Extension Service about the new kind of bread we are to have.

Those who have seen the new eighty-percent extraction wheat flour, and bread made from it, say that they can see little difference in the color and appearance from the usual products.

Actually, the extension service says, with a per cent of the wheat kernel retained, the new flour is higher in food value than plain white flour. It is about the same as if the homemaker mixed one cup of whole wheat flour with two cups of white flour.

The new flour, says the service, is not as high in minerals and vitamins as enriched white flour, but much better than the plain white flour we all used before the war, which about thirty-five per cent of us have continued to use.

Incidentally, when we used eighty per cent of the wheat grain in our flour, we are not anywhere near the maximum used by some nations, we are reminded.

It is good to know that the new bread will not be the come-down many have feared, and there is consolation in the fact that the more of each bushel of wheat we use for our food the more other bushels we will be able to ship to starving nations.

can say that his percentage estimate is somewhat low.

It seems strange that efforts have not been hitherto directed to these elemental phases of the construction problem, which have been religiously sidestepped for some reason or other. One of the principal reasons for the high cost of housing and the relative small amount of construction, even before the war, has been the existence of restrictive trade practices, not only those imposed by the unions but also those entered into by manufacturers, builders and governmental units.

The last named, Schindler notes, extends further than antiquated building codes. "One of the terrifically costly elements of doing business is the sum paid out under state tariffs for goods crossing state lines, licensing regulations, a dozen kinds of discrimination by one state or community against another," he stated.

Schindler talks sense when he says that "getting rid of that wasted cost is a better way of lowering prices than by squeezing the manufacturers' profit to the hardship level." It is a better way, also, of getting housing construction under way.

It is to be hoped that the Commerce department will make some headway with this new program and that it will not be entangled and impeded in the labyrinth of departmental bureaucracy.

Motorists Continue
To Face Handicaps

DON'T GO TO MEXICO. At least not for a while. The American Automobile Association so advises, recommending that motorists planning a trip south of the border should postpone their journey because conditions are not favorable. The association has been promoting inter-American travel for several years and in co-operation with other Western Hemisphere motor clubs has been pressing for completion of the Pan-American highway, particularly in urging motorists to enjoy the charm of old Mexico.

However, on the basis of reports from its special investigators and its own border representative at Laredo, Tex., it says that motorists expecting to find the same bargain playground that awaited them south of the border in pre-war years will be sorely disappointed. The accommodations are exceedingly scarce, tires and gasoline are hard to obtain and many discomforts and inconveniences as well as extra expense, will be experienced.

The warning, however, seems superfluous in view of another bulletin released by the association. In it there is reported that the greatest flood tide of travel in history is now pouring over the highways of this country in columns farward, even the most optimistic predictions of postwar travel booms, with overnight accommodations throughout the nation being completely swamped under the greatest rush of business their providers have ever experienced.

Well, it seems to continue to be a pretty good time to stay at home, or at least within easily reachable distance of it. The situation makes one wonder that, if it obtains now with the long-running car and tire scarcity, what is going to happen when the motor car manufacturers finally get their new ones coming off the assembly lines in quantity.

Wade McCargo, of Richmond, recently a witness before a Senate committee, has perceptively suggested that a "motor car manufacturers' businessmen who are casualties under OPA regulations. He said that while OPA has been "holding the line," business has been "holding the sack," and reconversion has been diverted into "reconversion," and in some respects it is right.

Why certain persons should single out the atomic bomb as the secret to give away is difficult to understand. Should the United States be vigilant regarding its security methods of doing business, or should it be vigilant regarding its security on second-rate weapons is concerned?

Topeka, Kan., reports the organization of a "Truman for '48" club, but the report doesn't say whether the initiation fee is to be a thousand dollars or so with special privileges in Washington officialdom as a reward for the members.

What with bulges and humps figuring in the current news, some are going to get down on a straight line again.

BEATEN PATHS

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS
That old story about the beaten path made to the home of the fellow who could make a better mousetrap than anyone else, has more than one moral to it. Instead of making a bee-line for such a place, why don't there more people in the world pioneering on the beaten path—cutting, or clearing, the rugged way to their own inner selves, or to some unpopular objective that would help to heal a few of the world's ills?

There are too many beaten paths. They are too crowded. The strong and selfish push away too many of the weak and hungry, in their efforts to get to the home of the mouse-trap inventor, to see if they can't get in on the ground floor of its sale to waiting millions, thus enriching themselves.

There wouldn't be so many weak and hungry if more went about creating a path of their own, to the object of their dreams or deep desires. There is always at least one human being who pioneers a path. History is filled with instances of this sort. People are quite ready to follow another after he has shown the way. Charles Lindbergh's feat did not long remain unique. There are beaten paths around the world today by air.

It is said that the streets of Boston were first cow paths. It would have better blessed this interesting city had the cows taken different routes, or at least made their paths cover inland. Beaten paths are a good thing to shy from, very often.

I once took an auto journey into Cape Breton Island, Nova Scotia. Instead of taking the main, or beaten, roads, we decided to take each other that showed little travel. Thus it was that we made thrilling discoveries, visited quaint settlements, and came in contact with little talked about beauties, shores that were unique, and people who were glad to see us, and were most friendly—seeing so few travelers. And then, creating a path of their own, stimulates the imagination, arouses new interests, and gives personal satisfaction, things to which beaten paths are alien.



THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Pearson "Apologizes" for Unintentional "Injustice" Done New Director of RFC

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—On February 22, this column published certain facts regarding George Allen, newly-appointed director of the RFC, and his insurance company connections which did Mr. Allen an injustice.

It was stated that Mr. Allen was made vice president of the Home Insurance Company in 1938, at a time when the federal government was investigating the Missouri insurance scandal preparatory to convicting Kansas City Boss Tom Pendergast, life-long friend of Harry Truman.

It was also stated that the fire insurance companies operating in Missouri had been forced to impound \$9,676,000 while the courts were threshing out the question of promising a bribe of \$750,000 to Boss Pendergast, the insurance companies were able to get eighty per cent of this nine-million-dollar kitty returned to them.

It was also stated that the Home Insurance Company, which made the delightful Mr. Allen its vice-president during the thick of the fight, had the heaviest amount at stake in the nine-million-dollar kitty. Although Pendergast was convicted about a year after Allen's appointment as vice-president, the insurance executives who bribed him were not convicted.

Apologies to George Allen
Further facts in the case have now developed. And we apologize for this unintentional injustice done Mr. Allen. It is now learned that Mr. Allen not merely became vice-president of the Home Insurance Company, but also vice-president of three other affiliated companies, implicated in one of the worst pieces of graft in the history of American insurance.

Mr. Allen was also vice-president of the National Liberty Insurance Company of America, the Franklin National Insurance Company, and the City of New York Insurance Company—all of them participating in the Pendergast bribe, and all of them hiring George Allen as vice-president and secretary during the significant year 1938, just as the government was probing their racket.

All the above escaped conviction, though many people considered the insurance executive who bribed Pendergast just as guilty as the man who accepted the bribe.

The column takes this opportunity to rectify its previous slight to Mr. Allen's prowess as the champion American holder of vice-presidential and directorships—now a director of the RFC.

Note—The RFC has loaned millions to insurance companies in the past, also to railroads and other companies which, if they had failed, would have jeopardized the financial position of insurance companies. Allen frankly admits that he will try to serve two masters—that he will keep some of his corporate directorships while also serving as director of the RFC.

Pork and Children
When Henry Wallace stated that the school children of Washington D. C. were worse fed than the hogs of Iowa, he probably didn't know about an unpublished pork barrel maneuver which took place at the last session of Congress, by which school lunches were put to one side in favor of a new federal building in Nashville, Tenn.

The school lunch program was for the benefit of under-nourished children throughout the country, not merely the District of Columbia. And while Congress chopped this pork barrel item, it approved a juicy pork barrel for—guess who?—Sen. McKellar, of Tennessee, whose word is powerful as chairman of the Appropriations committee.

The Department of Agriculture, which has charge of the program, needed an additional \$15,000,000 to continue school lunches through June 2, 1946. But, in a joint conference of Appropriations committee members of the two Houses, Sen. McKellar, together with Rep. Clarence Cannon, of Missouri, and other "economy" champions, pruned the \$15,000,000 to \$7,500,000.

Almost in the same breath, the conference okayed a \$5,375,000 expenditure for the construction of a new federal building in Sen. McKellar's home state to replace the old customs house at Nashville. McKellar contended that the structure was also needed to provide a regional headquarters for the Veterans Administration, and several congressmen suspect this is only window dressing.

declared his intent to become an American citizen. That is also the law in many, if not all, of the forty-eight states.

It is also the law that an American radio license shall not be granted to aliens or to a "foreign government" or to any corporation in which one-fifth or more of the stock is owned by aliens. The reason is obvious; to prevent the subtle molding of American public opinion by foreign interests.

American corporations doing a foreign banking business shall not engage in commerce or trade, or own stock in other companies except as permitted by the Federal Reserve Board. Again, the reason is obvious. It is to protect American interests.

Pressure Opportunity Given

The law does not forbid citizens of foreign countries to own American stocks and bonds. Nor does any such law seem necessary. In the scattered hands of individuals who are both Labor and Conservative, it is not likely that such foreign owned stock interests could be mobilized effectively to dominate an American business. In the hands of individuals, Mr. Reuther, as an example, would have difficulty in getting them to exert pressure on the side of American labor unions. Concentrated, however, in the hands of some foreign government, pressure could be exerted in many ways and for many hidden purposes, even in the diplomatic field.

There was nothing wrong about the acquisition of this stock by the British government. In order to borrow money from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation five years ago, the British government acquired title to this stock in order to use it as collateral for the loan. Due to the advance in American business and the advance in stock values, the British government now has an equity of half a billion dollars in these stocks.

Use for Loan Seen

Regardless of all other merits and demerits of the proposed British loan of four and one-half billion dollars, why should not the American government insist that the British government liquidate its American investments, realizing therefrom at least half of a billion dollars for itself and reduce the proposed British loan by that amount?

Winston Churchill, who is a Britisher first, said: "We cannot afford to confide the safety of our country to the passions or panics of any foreign nation, which may be facing some desperate crisis—we must be free—we have never lived at anybody's mercy."

George Washington, who was an American first, said: "Against the insidious wiles of foreign influence, the jealousy of a free people ought to be constantly awake."

before the fact-finding board was appointed, a number of smaller meat packing plants had already signed contracts with the CIO and AFL for fifteen cents an hour pay increase without any strings attached regarding increased meat prices.

The small packers who signed such agreements included Hygrade Food Products of New York; George A. Hormel, of Austin, Minn., and others in the Chicago area.

Apparently, the fact-finders did not take this into consideration. Apparently also, they ignored the fact that Swift and Company previously had agreed to a pay boost of ten cents an hour without any strings attached regarding increased meat prices to the housewife.

For, despite Swift's offer of ten cents an hour and the smaller companies' increase of fifteen cents, the fact-finders recommended that only five cents of the sixteen-cent increase could be paid for by meat packers. The remaining eleven cents will be passed on to the housewife, unless the government votes a subsidy.

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British Holdings
Could Cut Loan,
Pettengill Says

By SAMUEL B. PETTENGILL

Do we want government ownership in the United States—and by a foreign government? The British government, under the socialistic Attlee administration, is now a heavy owner in American business, including General Motors, A. T. & T., Radio Corporation of America, Woolworth, Celanese, Singer, Standard Oil of New Jersey, Great Northern Railway, Eastman Kodak, Chrysler, U. S. Steel, Commonwealth and Southern, etc.

The British holding in General Motors is 434,000 shares. You will recall that Walter Reuther, of the United Automobile Workers, C. I. O., used to use this huge stock interest in General Motors to pressure G. M. into a settlement of the strike. There is no evidence that Mr. Attlee responded. But if it chose, the British government could designate Prof. Laski as its proxy, to attend stockholders' meetings and help determine the conduct of American business.

The British interest is now a factor in eighty-three American companies whose stocks are listed on the New York Stock Exchange; in sixty-six unlisted companies, and in forty British owned United States insurance companies; total 189.

Land Holdings Barred

It is the law of the United States that aliens cannot acquire title to our public lands unless the alien has

eral Corrupt Practices act—the reformers who now show righteous indignation over the Pauley nomination backed the confirmation of Wallace wholeheartedly.

Likewise, when a labor union used its funds for political purposes in the 1944 campaign in violation of the federal Corrupt Practices act, the reformers took refuge in a technicality which they must have known would never save any bank or corporation from prosecution.

Rejection Better for GOP

The Republicans can be quite gleeful over the situation. They will benefit far more from a rejection of the Pauley nomination than from the confirmation. This is because if Mr. Pauley is rejected or forced to withdraw, it will mean that the Senate Democrats are confessing that the national treasurer of the Democratic party did something wrong, and also, by inference, that the methods used by the New Deal in raising campaign funds in the past were wrong.

If, however, Mr. Pauley is confirmed and arranges that all oil problems of the navy be handled entirely by Assistant Secretary John L. Sullivan—who really should have been named under-secretary by President Truman in the first instance—what will the Republicans be able to say in the campaign six months hence to impugn the character or integrity of Mr. Pauley?

The real question is not whether Mr. Pauley is qualified or disqualified because of the innuendoes on his personal integrity cast upon him by New Dealers who have for years taken a sadistic delight in practicing the art of innuendo and character-assassination, but whether Mr. Pauley will make a good secretary of the navy, and whether he is committed in advance to a policy of scuttling the navy by means of the so-called merger with the army. If the latter is the case, he ought not to be confirmed. The secretary of the navy has far more to say about naval policy as a whole than about the handling of oil reserves.

Position of Trust Held

Mr. Pauley has recently held a position of trust in the government. He has handled reparations problems in Germany and Japan. In the fact that he was mixed up in party politics or that he played politics when he was a private citizen is an objection, then why did the Senate last week, by overwhelming vote, confirm George Allen, director of an insurance company, to become a member of the board of the RFC, which has so many dealings with insurance companies to which the government lends money?

It must mean that the real and sole issue is Mr. Pauley's integrity and good faith and on this he has not been tried in the court of public opinion or in any other court except by the art of innuendo and inference. Secretary Forrestal said he would give a man the benefit of the doubt under such circumstances. That's what the president means, too, when he says he will not withdraw the nomination.

Mr. Pauley could be foolish to ask for withdrawal under the kind of attack that has been leveled against him.

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It Says Here

By BOB HOPE

I was leafing through the financial pages of the paper the other day seeking a careless co-maker, when I noticed the stock market was on a rampage again. I was in the market back in 1929. That was before penicillin, of course, which probably explains why it took my pocketbook fifteen years to recover. All of my family was active in Wall Street in those days. "Odd-lot" Hope, they used to call us. And don't think we weren't! You've heard of bulls and bears? I'd buy one share, then hide underground until the market closed.

I didn't know what to buy so I used to listen to the brokers' customer's man... "customer's man" that's a tout, who's been to Harvard. Was he a snappy dresser? You had to buy what he told you or he'd whip you to death with his gardenia.

He kept telling me "so and so" was forming a big pool to buy this and a big pool to sell that. He was right about the pool... In fact, listening to him put me behind the eight ball for ten years. He had me so poor that the depression had been on for four years before I knew it.

But I learned my lesson and never again... What's that? Steel up three points? The ticker twenty minutes late?... Mmmm. Morning about that! I heard this formed in American Snood, Ltd?... Mmmm... Now there might be something to that report!

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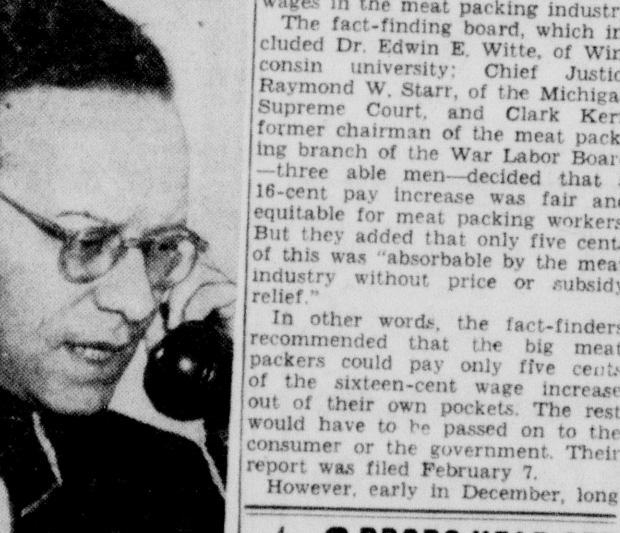
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Destructive Price Policy

PAUL A. PORTER, recently ap-
pointed head of the Office of Price
Administration, has publicly pledged
that the present price line will be
held until production eliminates the
danger of inflation. The OPA is
"not in receivership," he says, and
he has not assumed "the job of a
liquidator."

This is all very well with regard
to prices, but what will the OPA do
when the industry can show its
earnings are below peacetime levels.
Mr. Porter contends that price con-
trol aids production by preventing
the hoarding of raw materials and
semi-finished parts and that, in
effect, it puts a floor under profits
by permitting price adjustment
when an industry can show its
earnings are below peacetime levels.

But some of the regulations here-
before imposed by OPA will have to
be changed with respect to those
peacetime levels. Henry Ford II,
president of the Ford Motor Com-
pany, has pointed out with a spe-
cific example how this has been
retarded production and has been
driving producers out of business.

This concerned the case of a
small but vital truck part. The
company that had been furnishing
Ford for years with thousands of
these parts reported to it that it
had lost \$300,000 during 1945 be-
cause the cost of production was
greater than the ceiling price of
fifty cents each fixed by the OPA.
Application was made for an in-
crease to sixty cents. OPA was
willing to go to fifty-five cents, but
no higher. The concern discon-
tinued making the parts. Ford then
cast about for a new supplier, and
after some delay located two pro-
ducers, to one of which it pays
eighty-five cents and to the other
eighty-four cents each for the same
parts, both prices approved by the
OPA.

How come? Well, what happened
here is precisely what has happened
to hundreds of other small man-
ufacturing concerns that are run-
ning up against unreasonable OPA regu-
lations. The old-line producer that
had been supplying Ford had a
business history going back beyond
the war days. Its selling price,
therefore, was based on prewar
records. The new suppliers, both of
which most likely had never made
the parts before, were given prices,
as is the custom, based on present-
day costs.

The net result of such a policy
has been to drive out of the market
many established, reputable firms
which find it impossible to do busi-
ness at the ceilings established, and
to substitute for them newcomers
who are allowed substantially higher
ceilings. Through this silly and
arbitrary regulation the purpose of
price control is defeated. Reliable
producers of established reputation
are penalized, some of them being
put out of business, production is
curtailed, and in a great many cases,
shoddy products are thrust upon the
public.

In view of such consequences, it
is no wonder that Representative
Hartley (R-N.J.) comes out with a
statement declaring that the OPA
is "engaged in an unlawful con-
spiracy to wreck the profit system
and is trying to change established
methods of doing business." Its
average maximum price policy, he
says, is "the most vicious form of
bureaucracy every attempted," and
is "selling American short."

Certainly something should be
done by OPA to correct the in-
equities shown by the case cited.

The New Bread Flour Is Good

SOMEWHAT REASSURING is
the statement coming from the Uni-
versity of Maryland Extension Ser-
vice about the new kind of bread
we are to have.

Those who have seen the new
eighty-percent extraction wheat
flour, and bread made from it, say
that they can see little difference in
the color and appearance from the
usual products.

Actually, the extension service
says, with a great per cent of the
wheat kernel retained, the new flour
is higher in food value than plain
white flour. It is about the same as
if the homemaker had a better grade
of whole wheat flour with two cups
of white flour.

The new flour, says the service,
is not as high in minerals and
vitamins as enriched white flour,
but much better than the plain
white flour we all used before
the war, which about thirty-five
percent of us have continued to use.

Incidentally, when we used eighty
percent of the wheat grain in our
flour, we are not anywhere near the
maximum used by some nations, we
are reminded.

It is good to know that the new
bread will not be the come-down
many have feared, and there is
consolation in the fact that the
more of each bushel of wheat we
use for our food, the more other
bushels will be able to ship to
starving nations.

Getting at the Bottom Of the Housing Problem

OUT OF all the fanfare and
hubbub about encouraging the
construction of direly needed housing
comes at last a gleam of common
sense going to the root of the prob-
lem.

It is from the federal Commerce
department, which announces
plans to call "the best brains in
the construction industry" for an
attack on antiquated building codes
and other obstacles to the homes-
for-veterans program.

The first step, according to Alfred
Schindler, undersecretary, will be
to assemble better on the country's
2,000 varying state and city build-
ing codes. "We want to crack the
building codes, the feather-bedding
by labor and the restrictive build-
ing practices which add three per
cent to the cost of every house and
waste precious building time," he
said. Those with sad experience

can say that his percentage estimate
is somewhat low.

It seems strange that efforts have
not been hitherto directed to these
elemental phases of the construction
problem, which have been religiously
sidestepped for some reason or
other. One of the principal reasons
for the high cost of housing and
the relative small amount of con-
struction, even before the war, has
been the existence of restrictive
trade practices, not only those im-
posed by the unions but also those
entered into by manufacturers,
builders and governmental units.

The last named, Schindler notes,
extends further than antiquated
building codes. "One of the terri-
fically costly elements of doing
business is the sum paid out under
state tariffs for goods crossing state
lines, licensing regulations, a dozen
kinds of discrimination by one
state or community against an-
other," he stated.

Schindler takes sense when he
says that "getting rid of that
wasted cost is a better way of low-
ering prices than by squeezing the
manufacturers' profits to the hard-
ship level." It is a better way, also,
of getting housing construction
under way.

It is to be hoped that the Com-
merce department will make some
headway with this new program
and that it will not be entangled
and impeded in the labyrinth of
departmental bureaucracy.

Motorists Continue To Face Handicaps

DON'T GO TO MEXICO AT
least not for a while. The American
Automobile Association so advises,
recommending that motorists plan-
ning a trip south of the border
should postpone their journey be-
cause conditions are not favorable.
The association has been promul-
gating inter-American travel for sev-
eral years and in co-operation with
other Western Hemisphere motor
clubs has been pressing for com-
pletion of the Pan-American highway,
particularly in urging motorists to
enjoy the charms of old Mexico.
However, on the basis of reports
from its special investigators and its
own border representative at Laredo,
Tex., it says that motorists expecting
to find the same bargain playground
that awaited them south of the
border in prewar years will be sorely
disappointed. The accommodations
are exceedingly scarce, tires and
gasoline are hard to obtain and
many discomforts and inconveni-
ences, as well as extra expense, will
be experienced.

The warning, however, seems su-
perfluous in view of another bulletin
released by the association. In it
there is reported that the greatest
flood tide of travel in history is
now pouring over the highways of
this country in volumes far exceed-
ing even the most optimistic pre-
dictions of postwar travel booms, with
overnight accommodations through-
out the nation being completely
swamped under the greatest rush of
business travelers ever experienced.

Well, it seems to continue to be
a pretty good time to stay at home,
or at least within easily reachable
distance of it. The situation makes
one wonder that, if it obtains now
with the long-running car and tire
when the motor car manufacturers
finally get their new ones coming off
the assembly lines in quantity.

Wade McCargo, of Richmond, re-
cently a witness before a Senate
committee, has pertinently suggested
that a "purple heart" be awarded
under OPA regulations. He said that
while OPA has been "holding the
line," business has been "holding
the sack." A "purple heart" has
been converted into "refutation," and
in some respects it is right.

Why certain persons should single
out the atomic bomb as the secret
to give away is difficult to under-
stand. Should the United States
be vigilant regarding its security
only insofar as preserving infor-
mation on second-rate weapons is
concerned?

Topeka, Kan., reports the organ-
ization of a "Truman-for 48" club,
but the report doesn't say whether
the initiation fee is to be a thou-
sand dollars or so with special
privileges in Washington officialdom
as a reward for the members.

What with bulges and humps fig-
uring in the current news, some are
probably wondering when things
are going to get down on a straight
line again.

BEATEN PATHS

By GEORGE MATTHEW ADAMS

That old story about the beaten
path made to the home of the fel-
low who made a better mouse-
trap than anyone else, has more
than one moral to it. Instead of
making a bee-line for such a place,
why aren't there more people in the
world pioneering on their own ac-
count—cutting, or clearing, the rug-
ged way to their own inner selves,
or to some unpopular objective that
would help to heal a few of the
world's ills?

There are too many beaten paths.
They are too crowded. The strong
man and selfish push away too many
of the weak and hungry, in their ef-
forts to get to the home of the
mouse-trap inventor, to see if they
can't get in on the ground floor of
its sale to the waiting millions, thus
enriching themselves.

There wouldn't be so many weak
and hungry if more went about cre-
ating a path of their own, to the
object of their dreams or deep de-
sires. There is always at least one
human being who pioneers a path.
History is filled with instances of
this sort. People are quite ready to
follow another after he has shown
the way. Charles Lindbergh's feat
did not long remain unique. There
are beaten paths around the world
today by air.

It is said that the streets of Bos-
ton were first cow paths. It would
have better blessed this interesting
city had the cows taken different
routes, or at least made their paths
deeper inland. Beaten paths are a
good thing to shy from, very often.

I once took an auto journey into
Cape Breton Island, Nova Scotia.
Instead of taking the main, or beat-
en, roads, we decided to take each
one that showed little travel. Thus
it was that we made thrilling dis-
coveries, visited quaint settlements,
and came in contact with little
talked about beauties, shores that
were unique, and people who were
glad to see us, and were most
friendly—seeing a few veterans.

And then, creating a path of your
own stimulates the imagination,
arouses new interests, and gives per-
sonal satisfaction, things to which
beaten paths are alien.

Protected, 1946.
By The George Matthew Adams Service

SAY, JUST WHO IS THE OFFENDER HERE ANYWAY?

WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA
SNEAKING UP BEHIND ME WHEN
I'M PEEKING THROUGH A
KEYHOLE?!!
BESIDES I DIDN'T SEE ANYTHING
INTERESTING ANYHOW!!



THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Pearson "Apologizes" for Unintentional "Injustice" Done New Director of RFC

By DREW PEARSON

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—On Feb-
ruary 22, this column published cer-
tain facts regarding George Allen,
newly-appointed director of the
RFC, and his insurance company con-
nections which did Mr. Allen an
injustice.

It was stated that Mr. Allen was
made vice president of the Home
Insurance Company in 1938, at a
time when the federal government
was investigating the Missouri in-
surance scandal preparatory to con-
victing Kansas City Boss Tom
Pendergast, life-long friend of
Harry Truman.

It was also stated that the fire in-
surance companies operating in
Missouri had been forced to im-
pound \$9,876,002 while the courts
were threshing out the question of
a new rate increase, and that by
promising a bribe of \$750,000 to
Boss Pendergast, the insurance com-
panies were able to get eighty per
cent of this nine-million-dollar kitty
returned to them.

It was also stated that the Home
Insurance Company, which made
the delightful Mr. Allen its vice-
president during the thick of the
fight, had the heaviest amount at
stake in the nine-million-dollar
kitty. Although Pendergast was con-
victed about a year after Allen's
appointment as vice-president, the
fire insurance executives who
bribed him were not convicted.

Apologies to George Allen
Further facts in the case have
now developed. And we apologize for
this unintentional injustice done
Mr. Allen. It is now learned that
Mr. Allen not merely became vice-
president of the Home Insurance
Company, but also vice-president
of three other affiliated companies,
all implicated in one of the worst
pieces of graft in the history of
American insurance.

Mr. Allen was also vice-president
of the National Liberty Insurance
Company of America, the Franklin
National Insurance Company, and
the City of New York Insurance
Company—all of them participating
in the Pendergast bribe, and all of
them hiring George Allen as vice-
president and secretary during the
significant year 1938, just as the
government was probing their
racket.

All the above escaped conviction,
though many people considered the
fact that Mr. Allen not merely became
Pendergast just as guilty as the man
who accepted the bribe.

The column takes this opportunity
to rectify its previous slight to Mr.
Allen's prowess as the champion
American holder of vice presiden-
cies and directorships—now a di-
rector of the RFC.

Note.—The RFC has loaned mil-
lions to insurance companies in the

past, also to railroads and other
companies which, if they had failed,
would have jeopardized the finan-
cial position of insurance companies.
Allen frankly admits that he will
try to serve two masters—that he
will keep some of his corporate di-
rectorships while also serving as di-
rector of the RFC.

When Henry Wallace stated that
the school children of Washington
in C. were worse fed than the hogs
of Iowa, he probably didn't know
about an unpublished pork barrel
maneuver which took place at the
last session of Congress, by which
school lunches were put to one side
in favor of a new federal building in
Nashville, Tenn.

The school lunch program was for
the benefit of under-nourished chil-
dren throughout the country, not
merely the District of Columbia.
And while Congress chopped this
fund in two, it approved a juicy
pork barrel item for—guess who?
Sen. McKellar, of Tennessee, whose
powerful as chairman of the
Appropriations committee.

The Department of Agriculture,
which has charge of the program,
needed an additional \$15,000,000 to
continue school lunches through
June 2, 1946. But in a joint confer-
ence of Appropriations committee
members of the two Houses, Sen.
McKellar, together with Rep. Clar-
ence Cannon, of Missouri, and other
"economy" champions, pruned the
\$15,000,000 to \$7,500,000.

Almost in the same breath, the
conference okayed a \$3,575,000 pen-
diture for the construction of a
new federal building in Sen. Mc-
Kellar's home state to replace the
old customs house at Nashville. Mc-
Kellar contended that the structure
also would provide a regional
headquarters for the Veterans
Administration, but several con-
gressmen suspect this is only window
dressing.

Congressman John Taber, of New
York, ranking Republican of the
United States House of Representatives,
is one of them. He described the Mc-
Kellar project as "absolutely neces-
sary."

"There is no more reason for a
building at this point than there is
at a thousand other places in the
United States," Taber declared.

"What we ought to do is put an
embargo on buildings of this sort
in order that the construction of
dwellings and apartment houses
may go forward for people without
housing." Another member of the
House committee was even more ex-
plicit. "I like my pork cooked," he
declared, "not raw."

Increased Meat Prices
Some people are wondering
whether the fact-finding board for
the meat packing industry took the
trouble to read the newspapers. If
so, they might not have recom-
mended that the housewife bear the main
burden of the cost of increased
wages in the meat packing industry.

The fact-finding board, which in-
cluded Dr. Edwin E. Witte, of Win-
consin university; Chief Justice
Raymond W. Starr, of the Michigan
Supreme Court, and Clark Kerr,
former chairman of the meat pack-
ing branch of the War Labor Board
—three able men—decided that a
16-cent pay increase was fair and
equitable for meat packing workers.
But they added that only five cents
of this was "absorbable by the meat
industry without price or subsidy
relief."

In other words, the fact-finders
recommended that the big meat
packers could pay only five cents
of the sixteen-cent wage increase
of the sixteen-cent wage increase.
The rest would have to be passed on to
the consumer or the government. Their
report was filed February 7.
However, early in December, long

before the fact-finding board was
appointed, a number of smaller
meat packing plants had already
signed contracts with the CIO and
AFL for fifteen cents an hour pay
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declared his intent to become an
American citizen. That is also the
law in many, if not all, of the forty-
eight states.

It is also the law that an Ameri-
can radio license shall not be grant-
ed to aliens or to a "foreign govern-
ment" or to any corporation in
which one-fifth or more of the stock
is owned by aliens. The reason is
obvious, to prevent the subtle man-
euver of American public opinion by
foreign interests.

American corporations doing a
foreign banking business shall not
engage in commerce or trade, or own
stock in other companies except as
permitted by the Federal Reserve
Board. Again, the reason is obvi-
ous. It is to protect American in-
terests.

Pressure Opportunity Given

The law does not forbid citizens of
foreign countries to own American
stocks and bonds. Nor does any
such law seem necessary. In the
scattered hands of individuals, who
are both Labor and Conservative,
it is not likely that such foreign
investments could be mobilized
effectively to dominate an
American business. In the hands of
individuals, Mr. Reuther, as an ex-
ample, would have difficulty in get-
ting them to exert pressure on the
side of American labor unions. Con-
centrated, however, in the hands of
some foreign government, pressure
could be exerted in many ways and
for many hidden purposes, even in
the diplomatic field.

There was nothing wrong about
the acquisition of this stock by the
British government. In order to bor-
row money from the Reconstruction
Finance Corporation five years
ago, the British government acquired
title to this stock in order to use it
as collateral for the loan. Due to
dividends from American business
and the advance in stock values, the
British government now has an
equity of half a billion dollars in
these stocks.

Use for Loan Seen

Regardless of all other merits
and demerits of the proposed British
loan of four and one-half billion
dollars, why should not the Ameri-
can government insist that the Brit-
ish government liquidate its Ameri-
can investments, realizing therefrom
at least half of a billion dollars for
itself and reduce the proposed Brit-
ish loan by that amount?

Winston Churchill, who is a Brit-
isher first, said: "We cannot afford
to confide the safety of our coun-
try to the passions or panics of any
foreign nation, which may be fac-
ing some desperate crisis—we must
be free—we have never lived at any-
body's mercy."

George Washington, who was an
American first, said: "Against the
insidious wiles of foreign influence
the jealousy of a free people ought
to be constantly awake."

Policy on Navy Is Seen Chief Point Concerning Pauley

By DAVID LAWRENCE

WASHINGTON, Feb. 25.—Can the
Democratic members of the Senate
really vote against the confirmation
of Edwin W. Pauley as undersec-
retary of the navy without embar-
rassment to their own party? If they
reject the nomination, what will
such action mean—that because Mr.
Pauley was once in the oil business,
he is disqualified from holding an
office that relates only incidentally
to oil? Or that Mr. Pauley is a dis-
honest man who cannot be trusted?
Will the Senate put that stigma on
Mr. Pauley?

The former secretary of the Inter-
ior had as his deputy throughout
the war in handling petroleum af-
fairs a man prominent in the oil
business. So apparently a previous
or continuing relationship to the oil
industry is not a barrier to public
office of itself.

What is the other objection
heard? That Mr. Pauley solicited
campaign contributions from execu-
tives of oil companies and wanted
to get Washington to act favorably
toward them on matters of oil pol-
icy. Mr. Pauley was a private citi-
zen and was acting as treasurer of
the Democratic party. Since when
is it an offense inside the Demo-
cratic party to solicit financial help
from corporations?

Individual Contributions OK

It is, of course, a violation of the
Federal Corrupt Practices act to
take money from corporations for
political purposes, but it isn't a vi-
olation to accept contributions from
individuals connected with corpo-
rations. Indeed, the Democratic cam-
paign management, under the ad-
ministration of the late President
Roosevelt, solicited contributions
from corporations by the device
of a campaign book which Mr.
Roosevelt himself autographed.
None of the so-called liberals or
radicals said a word of criticism of
this at the time.

Likewise, when Mr. Roosevelt last
year in a letter admitted that he
had before election promised a job
to Henry Wallace—violating the
spirit, if not the letter, of the fed-

It Says Here

By BOB HOPE

I was leafing through the finan-
cial pages of the paper the other
day seeking a careless co-maker,
when I noticed the stock market
was on a rampage again. I was in
the market back in 1929. That was
before penicillin, of course, which
probably explains why it took my
pocketbook fifteen years to recover.

All of my family was active in
Wall Street in those days. "Odd-
lot" Hope, they used to call us.
And don't think we weren't! You've
heard of bulls and bears? I was
right about the pool. I'd buy one
share, then hide under-
ground until the market closed.

I didn't know what to buy so I
used to listen to the brokers' cus-
tomer's man. "customer's man"
was on a rampage again. I was in
the market back in 1929. That was
before penicillin, of course, which
probably explains why it took my
pocketbook fifteen years to recover.

But I learned my lesson and
never again. . . . What's that?
Steel up three points? The ticker
twenty minutes later? . . . Mmm.
. . . What was that I heard this
morning about that pool being
formed in American Snood, Ltd?
. . . Mmm. . . . Now there might
be something to that report!

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draw the nomination. Mr. Pauley
would be foolish to ask for with-
drawal under the kind of attack
that has been leveled against him.
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Lt. J. G. Richard Muther Weds Louise Scurlock

Mrs. Mabel Pope, This City, Attends Wedding of Niece in Arkansas

Miss Sarah Louise Scurlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holmes Scurlock, Plagott, Ark., and niece of Mrs. Mabel Pope, 217 Washington street, this city, became the bride of Lt. (j.g.) Richard Muther, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz Francis Muther, Boston, Mass., February 22.

The wedding ceremony was solemnized at 4:30 o'clock in the Methodist church of Plagott, Ark., with the Rev. J. R. Blewett, officiating. Bouquets of white snapdragons and gladioli, against a background of ferns, decorated the church, together with six tall candelabra with white tapers.

Mrs. Darrell S. Crane was her sister's matron of honor and Mrs. T. W. Liggett, Jr., and Mrs. William C. Smith were the candle bearers. E. Vance Scurlock, brother of the bride, served as Lt. Muther's best man and Darrell Stanley Crane and Ralph D. McNeil were the ushers.

Besides the traditional marches the nuptial music included "Recessional" sung by Miss Mary Helen Scurlock, sister of the bride.

The bride was attired in a white slipper satin wedding gown, fashioned with inserted marquisette yoke and full skirt, sweeping into a long train. Her veil of illusion was held by a halo of seed pearls. Her only ornament was a pearl and

diamond bracelet, gift of the bridegroom. She carried a bouquet of white calla lilies and orchids.

Her matron of honor wore a white marquisette gown and carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds. Her other attendants wore pink and blue marquisette gowns and carried bouquets of roses and assorted flowers.

Mrs. Scurlock chose a light blue crepe afternoon dress for her daughter's wedding, with which she wore a corsage of pink rosebuds. Mrs. Muther was attired in a blue chiffon afternoon dress and a corsage of gardenias completed her costume. Mrs. Pope wore a dusty pink crepe afternoon dress with a corsage of pastel colored sweetpeas.

The bride is well known here, having been a frequent visitor of her aunt, Mrs. Pope. She is a graduate of the University of Arkansas and is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority and Mortar Board, serving as president of the latter group. Since graduation she has been employed by the Department of State in Washington, D. C.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology and is a member of Beta Theta Phi fraternity. Before enlisting in the navy two years ago, he was on the MIT staff for two years and also on the faculty at Robert college, Istanbul, Turkey, for one year.

Mr. and Mrs. Scurlock entertained in honor of their daughter and her bride party, with a reception at their home, following the ceremony. The house was elaborately decorated with bouquets of white and pink gladioli and Mrs. Vance Scurlock, sister-in-law of the bride, sang, "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life." The large tiered wedding cake, adorned with a miniature bride and bridegroom, was cut by Lt. Muther and his bride.

For traveling the bride chose a gray dressmaker suit with alligator bag and shoes, and a small brown straw hat. Her corsage was of white orchids. After a wedding trip to San Francisco, Calif., Lt. Muther and his bride will reside in Almetta, Calif., where he will teach in the USNR school.

Events in Brief

Potomac Sisterhood 284. Dames of Malta will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the Junior Order hall, for the regular business session. A penny supper will follow.

The Cresapton Visitation-Evangelism campaign will meet at 1 o'clock today in the basement of the church. At 5:30 o'clock a supper conference will be held.

The International Relations group of the AAUW will meet at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at the home of Miss Anne Tennant, 313 Greene street.

The official board of the Cresapton Methodist church will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the church.

The board of directors of the Central YMCA will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the Y.

The Rec Club council will meet at 7:45 o'clock this evening at the Y. The Junior Club of Port Hill Tri-Hi-Y will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the Y.

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Forty-four marriage licenses were issued yesterday and Saturday in the office of the clerk of court to the following couples:

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Maylan Monroe Miller, Jr., Hyndman, Pa., and Colleen Marie Emrick, Ellerslie. Cecil Ray Campbell, Fairbanks, Pa., and Irene Secondine Grindstone, Pa., Waynesburg.

Samuel Andolara Jr., Fairbank, Pa., and Mary Pier Schnall, Ellerslie. Wesley Earl Thorn, Hot Springs, South Dakota, and Wanda Lee Harden, Eckhart.

Wayne Alvin Shaffer, Hyndman, Pa., and June Elaine Emrick, Ellerslie. Elias Wiland, Akron, O., and Martha Meeker, Akron, O.

Henry Frederick Novak, Ebensburg, Pa., and Ethel Marie Ford, Revoc, Pa. Nick Lary Pavkovich, Washington, Pa., and Elizabeth Marie Yerman, Washington, Pa.

Ray Wilson Guy, Morgantown, W. Va., and Janet Lorraine Plummer, Frostburg, Md. Joseph Scarfo, Martins Ferry, O., and Doris Morgan, Sellara, O.

Leo Thomas Reel, Luke, and Hazel May Dunlap, Piedmont, W. Va. Harry Milton Sumner, Millvale, Pa., and Margaret Katherine Newman, Millvale, Pa.

William Joseph Zillott, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Mary Louise Wikert, Pittsburgh, Pa. Mason Kile, Hilton, Va., and Virginia Ellen Lambert, Circleville, W. Va.

James Kenneth Montgomery, Brackenridge, Pa., and June Elizabeth Nelson, Natrona, Pa. Michael Korinchak, Smoke Run, Pa., and Louise Keith, Coalport, Pa.

Crist William Lint, Yukon, Pa., and Madeline Ruth Forsythe, Scottsdale, Pa. Henry Kenneth Twigg, Orleans Road, W. Va., and Rosie Mae Gloy, Great Cacapon, W. Va.

Jack Shearer, Huntington, W. Va., and Jean Carpenter, Frostburg. Robert Sherman McCoolle, Paw Paw, W. Va., and Graceanna Naomi Robertson, Paw Paw, W. Va.

John Steve Woytek, Berlin, Pa., and Catherine Louise Dively, Berlin, Pa. Jay Leroy Haer, Garrett, Pa., and Viola Pearl White, Meyersdale, Pa.

Thomas Francis Robinson, Frostburg, and Pauline Marshall, Hazard, Ky. Claude Bailey Mears, Greensburg, Pa., and Kathryn Gertrude Himmelwright, Greensburg, Pa.

Harry Ralph Hager, Cumberland, and Helene Reed, Cumberland. John Francis Fatkin, Loarstown, Md., and Alice Delores Sires, Midland.

John Paul Viazanko, Jr., Uniontown, Pa., and Pauline Louise Hugh, Uniontown, Pa. Wilbur Dean Bailey, Clarkston, Mich., and Sophie Theresa Messarik, Sudersville, Pa.

Roy Branson Mathias, Mathias, W. Va., and Annabelle Lee Webster, Lost City, W. Va. Lloyd William Clapper, Saxton, Pa., and June Brownen Spencer, Dudley, Pa.

William Gamaliel Spangler, Cumberland, and Betty Mae Hager, Cumberland. Calvin Webster Planagan, Cumberland, and Betty Lou Gerlach, Cumberland.

Thomas Ludell Woods, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Minnie Roberta Turner, Pittsburgh, Pa. Edmund Friesel Hoyer, Clairton, Pa., and Clara Virginia Lohr Buhner, Star Junction, Pa.

Kirby Clair Miles, Sandy Ridge, Pa., and Marie Vivian Berendt, Sandy Ridge, Pa. David Franklin Heavner, Greenspring, W. Va., and Ruby Ellen Lark, Cumberland.

George Roberts, Ligonier, Pa., and Betty Strickler, Ligonier, Pa. Alex Carman Marshall, Baltimore, and Vivian Adaline Elleu, Steubenville, O.

Jack Moore, Wolfdale, Pa., and Ruth Main, Washington, Pa. William Austin Carvell, Harrisburg, Pa., and Helen Frances Will, Westport.

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District WSCS Conference To Be Held Here May 24

The Hagerstown district WSCS conference will be held in Cumberland May 24. The invitation was accepted and officers installed at the winter conference held in Hagerstown last Friday. The invitation was extended by Mrs. A. E. Keesee, president of the Grace WSCS, where the conference will be held.

Officers from this section include Mrs. John G. Cook, Frostburg, president; Mrs. E. F. Phillips, secretary of Organization and Promotion; Mrs. John P. Zimmerman, secretary of Student Work; Mrs. John R. Wilson, Eckhart Mines, secretary of Youth Work; Mrs. J. Reichenbach, secretary of Children's Work; Mrs. W. E. Nelson, Ellerslie, secretary of Spiritual Life; and Mrs. Robert W. Young, secretary of Christian Social Relations.

Attending the winter conference from here were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Keesee, Mrs. John Moffatt, Mrs. Clarence Owens, Grace church; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Young, Davis Memorial; Mrs. B. C. Robinson, Miss Pearl Wilson, Flintstone; the Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Bready, Mrs. Luther Brotemarkle, Miss Wilma Ryan, Mrs. Fred Purnell, Mrs. Rachael James and Mrs. Edna Swann.

The Past Presidents Club of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary voted, at the meeting last evening at the VFW home, to contribute to the Red Cross and the Maryland Cottage of the National Home Egerts, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Gifts of socks, diaries and autograph books will be sent to the children at the national home, and \$5 will be donated to the Red Cross. Mrs. Grace Bosenburg was named chairman of the Gifts committee.

A social hour was held at the conclusion of the business session and the Red Cross and the Maryland Cottage of the National Home Egerts, Grand Rapids, Mich.

The next meeting will be held March 25 with Mrs. Elsie Kilroy and Mrs. Bosenburg as hostesses.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Boyd A. Reinhardt, 225 Washington street, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Francis A. O'Connell, Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Wolfe, who have resided in Harrisburg, Pa., for the past six years have returned to Cumberland and are residing at 109 North Centre street. Mr. Wolfe operated the Postal Telegraph office during his previous residence here.

A. W. Straub, 202 Maryland avenue, is improving at Wilmer Institute, Johns Hopkins hospital, and was able to sit up for the first Sunday. Mr. Straub underwent an operation January 21 at the institute.

Miss Betty Lee Larry, student at the University of Maryland, has returned to College Park, after spending the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Virginia Larry, 135 South Liberty street.

Miss Patricia Dougherty, junior chemistry major, West Virginia university, Morgantown, W. Va., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leo Dougherty, Ridgeley, W. Va. Miss Dougherty was recently appointed laboratory assistant to Dr. Lazell in Organic chemistry.

Miss Justyn Wilkes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Wilkes, 320 Virginia avenue, is a patient in Allegheny hospital.

Mrs. James H. Wheeler and son, James, 120 Independence street, have gone to Washington, D. C., to attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, who has visited here a number of times.

June Hosier Dixon has returned to her home, Cresapton, after being a patient at Allegheny hospital. W. T. Lewis, Cresapton, is improving at Allegheny hospital where he is a patient.

Mrs. Eugene Minnigh has returned to her home in Cresapton, after being a patient in Allegheny hospital, where she underwent an operation.

Mrs. Beatrice Thompson, Cresapton, is a patient in Allegheny hospital.

Mrs. Josephine Martin, 525 Dilley street, accompanied by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stegmaier and son; and Mrs. Frank Donahue, have returned from Towson, where they visited Mrs. Martin's daughter, sister M. Ignatia, at the Mother House of the Mission Helpers of the Sacred Heart.

Mrs. Eva Reinhardt, Baltimore Pike, is a patient in Memorial hospital.

Local Legionnaires To View Resolutions

Reports on important resolutions adopted by the national executive committee will be read and discussed tonight at the regular meeting of Fort Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, Samuel A. Graham, post commander, announced. The meeting is scheduled for 8 o'clock at post headquarters.

The resolutions are based upon the controversy between the national commander of the American Legion and Gen. Omar N. Bradley, Veterans Administration administrator, over the Legion leaders' allegations of failure to administer veterans' affairs efficiently.

Graham also announced that reports will be made on the district meeting held Sunday in Frostburg, and upon plans for the Legion celebration to be held March 15, in commemoration of the organizations twenty-eighth anniversary.

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Wahaba Temple, DOKK Plans Spring Ceremonial

Affair Will Be Held at LaVale Firemen's Hall March 8

Wahaba Temple, 237 DOKK, will hold its spring ceremonial March 8 at the LaVale firemen's hall.

It will begin with a turkey dinner at 6:30 o'clock followed by the ceremonial at 8 when eighteen tyrots will be initiated, and will conclude with the "Eighth Order," directed by John N. Miller and J. Walter McKee.

J. Walter McKee assisted by Arthur Brant, will serve as master of ceremonies at the dinner and ceremonial and John C. Fisher, royal vizier, and his divan, will be in charge.

Among the out-of-town guests will be Judge Frank P. Luthard, one of the directors of the Foundation fund, Baltimore; A. Elwood Martak, Keeper of the Records and Seals, also of Baltimore; as well as members of temples in Harrisburg, Pa., McKeesport, Pa., Martinsburg, W. Va., Keyser, W. Va., Washington, D. C., and Delaware.

Tyros include John Hilleary, Ralph Hilleary, Paul Robinette, William Lemmert, Lloyd Nycum, Paul Nycum, Marvin Keigher, Robert B. Kimble, Jr., John W. Laslo, Elmer E. Jeffries, Byron Knight, Richard S. Hotchkiss, Oliver R. Winebrenner, Kemmit Van Pelt, Milton N. Crowe, Ralph Koonitz, Joseph F. Baldwin, Ralph P. Crowe, and C. A. Strawderman. Belmont Robinette and Paul E. Wenrich will be reinstated.

John C. Fisher, Andrew Wilson, Joseph Wilson, J. N. Miller, Charles Wolford and Ed Smith comprise the committee of arrangements.

Sgt. Truman Mencer Jr., Weds Miss Elsie Petz

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Elsie Petz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Petz, Little Falls, N. Y., to Sgt. Truman Mencer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Mencer, 202 Springdale street.

The ceremony was performed February 9 in the Little Falls Lutheran church. Miss Elgard Petz was her sister's maid of honor and only attendant.

Sgt. Mencer is a veteran of four years service and was enlisted for one more year. He was stationed in the Pacific theater for thirty months.

Daniel Boone Club To Hold Dance At Clary Club

Due to the large demand for tickets for the twentieth anniversary dance of the Daniel Boone Club, the celebration will be held at the Clary Club instead of at the All Ghan Shrine Country Club, Hugo Keller, chairman announces.

It will be a semi-formal dance on March 1, with music from 9 to 1 o'clock by the Modernaires of Westport. This will be the first social held by the club since activities were curtailed because of the war. Reservations have been accepted for 150 couples, instead of the 125 originally planned.

Mr. Keller is being assisted in arrangements by a committee composed of Miss Betty Davis, John Vocke, Ralph Balch, Louis Amato, William Cramer, Jr., Thomas Walter and Phillip Stark.

Francis Fatkin To Wed Miss Sires

Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Miss Delores Sires, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence L. Sires, Midland, to Francis Fatkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Fatkin, Loarstown.

The ceremony will be performed at 7 o'clock Thursday, in the Midland Methodist church, with the Rev. Raymond Crowe officiating. Miss Elva Sires will be her sister's maid of honor and Kenneth Fatkin will serve as his brother's best man.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Central high school and is employed as a chemist at the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation, Alliquippa, Pa.

Mr. Fatkin attended Beall high school and is a veteran of fifty-six months service in the army. A member of the combat M.P.'s of the Thirty-first division he was in the SWP for two years. He is employed by the Celanese Corporation of America.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Sires will entertain with a reception.

B'er Chayim Temple Sisterhood To Mark Anniversary

The seventieth anniversary of B'er Chayim Sisterhood will be celebrated with a dinner and program Thursday evening at 6:30 o'clock, in the vestry rooms of the temple.

Mrs. L. Lee Lichtenstein will be toastmaster and Mrs. Allan T. Hirsch, president, will extend greetings. Isaac Hirsch, president of B'er Chayim Congregation, will extend best wishes from the Sunday school.

Harvey H. Weiss, superintendent of Mt. Sinai hospital, former superintendent of Memorial hospital, this city, will be the guest speaker. The musical program will be under the chairmanship of Mrs. Louis Lutz. Reservations should be made with Mrs. Samuel Wertheimer.

Mrs. Ben Kamens is chairman of arrangements and is being assisted by Mrs. Nat Guggenheimer, Mrs. Paye K. Hersch, Mrs. I. K. Gerson, Mrs. David Kauffman, Mrs. David Sidel, Mrs. George Millenson, Mrs. Sylvia Schwab, Mrs. Michael Beriman, Mrs. J. W. Jacobson, Mrs. Louis A. Trexler, Mrs. David Margolis and Mrs. Irving Millenson.

—Life insurance companies are so little worried about the effects on correspondents and other observers of the forthcoming Pacific atomic bomb tests, reports Newsweek magazine, that they are not charging extra premiums for the risk.

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Mrs. Mabel Pope, This City, Attends Wedding of Niece in Arkansas

Miss Sarah Louise Scurlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holmes Scurlock, Piggott, Ark., and niece of Mrs. Mabel Pope, 217 Washington street, this city, became the bride of Lt. (j.g.) Richard Muther, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenz Francis Muther, Boston, Mass., February 22.

The wedding ceremony was solemnized at 4:30 o'clock in the Methodist church, of Piggott, Ark., with the Rev. J. R. Blevens, officiating. Bouquets of white snapdragons and gladioli, against a background of ferns, decorated the church, together with six tall candelabra with white tapers.

Mrs. Darrell S. Crane was her sister's matron of honor and Mrs. T. W. Liggett, Jr., and Mrs. William C. Smith were the candle bearers. E. Vance Scurlock, brother of the bride, served as Lt. Muther's best man and Darrell Stanley Crane and Ralph D. McNeil were the ushers.

Besides the traditional marches the nuptial music included "Because," sung by Miss Mary Helen Scurlock, sister of the bride.

The bride was attired in a white slipper satin wedding gown, fashioned with inserted marquisette yoke and full skirt, sweeping into a long train. Her veil of illusion was held by a halo of seed pearls. Her only ornament was a pearl and

diamond bracelet, gift of the bridegroom. She carried a bouquet of white calla lilies and orchids.

Her matron of honor wore a white marquisette gown and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Her other attendants wore pink and blue marquisette gowns and carried bouquets of roses and assorted flowers.

Mrs. Scurlock chose a light blue crepe afternoon dress for her daughter's wedding, with which she wore a corsage of pink roses. Mrs. Muther was attired in a blue chiffon afternoon dress and a corsage of gardenias completed her costume. Mrs. Pope wore a dusty pink crepe afternoon dress with a corsage of pastel colored sweetpeas.

The bride is well known here, having been a frequent visitor of her aunt, Mrs. Pope. She is a graduate of the University of Arkansas and is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority and Mortar Board, serving as president of the latter group. Since graduation she has been employed by the Department of State in Washington, D. C.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology and is a member of Beta Theta Phi fraternity. Before enlisting in the navy two years ago he was on the MIT staff for two years and also on the faculty at Robert College, Istanbul, Turkey, for one year.

Mr. and Mrs. Scurlock entertained in honor of their daughter and her bride party, with a reception at their home, following the ceremony. The house was elaborately decorated with bouquets of white and pink gladioli and Mrs. Vance Scurlock, sister-in-law of the bride, sang, "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life." The large tiered wedding cake, adorned with a miniature bride and bridegroom, was cut by Lt. Muther and his bride.

For traveling the bride chose a gray dressmaker suit with alligator bag and shoes, and a small brown straw hat. Her corsage was of white orchids. After a wedding trip to San Francisco, Calif., Lt. Muther and his bride will reside in Alhambra, Calif., where he will teach in the USNR school.

44 Couples Obtain Marriage Licenses Over the Weekend

Forty-four marriage licenses were issued yesterday and Saturday in the office of the clerk of court to the following couples:

David Dayton Miller, Cumberland, and Patty Kern Kline, Cumberland; Charles Logue, Jr., Hyndman, Pa., and Mary Laverne Priddy, Ellerslie; Marshall Lance Golden, Sr., Altoona, Pa., and Reida Romaine Nagle, Altoona;

Maylan Monroe Miller, Jr., Hyndman, Pa., and Colleen Marie Emmerick, Ellerslie; Cecil Ray Campbell, Fairbanks, Pa., and Irene Secondine, Grindstone, Pa.; Wayneburg; Samuel Andolora Jr., Fairbank, Pa., and Mary Pier Schnaller, Fairbank;

Wesley Earl Thorn, Hot Springs, South Dakota, and Wanda Lee Herrick, Eckhart;

Wayne Alvin Shaffer, Hyndman, Pa., and June Elaine Emmerick, Ellerslie;

Elias Wiland, Akron, O., and Martha Meeker, Akron, O.

Henry Frederick Novak, Ebensburg, Pa., and Ethel Marie Ford, Revloc, Pa.

Nick Lary Pavkovich, Washington, Pa., and Elizabeth Marie Yerman, Washington, Pa.

Ray Wilson Guy, Morgantown, W. Va., and Janet Lorraine Plummer, Frostburg, Md.

Joseph Scarfo, Martins Ferry, O., and Doris Morgan, Bellaire, O.

Leo Thomas Reed, Lake, and Hazel May Dunlap, Piedmont, W. Va.

Harry Milton Sumner, Millvale, Pa., and Margaret Katherine Newman, Millvale, Pa.

William Joseph Zillott, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Mary Louise Wikert, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mason Kile, Hilton, Va., and Virginia Ellen Lambert, Circleville, W. Va.

James Kenneth Montgomery, Brackenridge, Pa., and June Elizabeth Nelson, Natrona, Pa.

Michael Korinchak, Smoke Run, Pa., and Louise Keith, Coalport, Pa.

Crist William Lint, Yukon, Pa., and Madeline Ruth Forsythe, Scottsdale, Pa.

Henry Kenneth Twigg, Orleans Road, W. Va., and Rose Mae Glydd, Great Cacapon, W. Va.

Jack Shearer, Huntington, W. Va., and Jean Carpenter, Frostburg, Md.

Robert Sherman McCoolle, Paw Paw, W. Va., and Graciana Naomi Robertson, Paw Paw, W. Va.

John Steve Woytek, Berlin, Pa., and Catherine Louise Dively, Berlin, Pa.

Jay Leroy Haer, Garrett, Pa., and Viola Pearl White, Meyersdale, Pa.

Thomas Francis Robison, Frostburg, and Pauline Marshall, Hazard, Md.

Claude Bailey Mears, Greensburg, Pa., and Kathryn Gertrude Himmelwright, Greensburg, Pa.

Harry Ralph Hager, Cumberland, and Helene Reed, Cumberland.

John Francis Fatkin, Loarstown, Md., and Alice Delores Sires, Midland, Pa.

John Paul Viazanko, Jr., Uniontown, Pa., and Pauline Louise Hugh Uniontown, Pa.

Wilbur Dean Bailey, Clarkston, Mich., and Sophie Theresa Messarik, Sudersville, Pa.

Roy Branson Mathias, Mathias, W. Va., and Annabelle Lee Webster, Loet City, W. Va.

Lloyd William Clapper, Saxton, Pa., and June Bronwen Spencer, Dudley, Pa.

William Gamaliel Spangler, Cumberland, and Betty Mae Hager, Cumberland.

Calvin Webster Planagan, Cumberland, and Betty Lou Gerlach, Cumberland.

Thomas Ludell Woods, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Minnie Roberta Turner, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Edmund Priesell Hoey, Clairton, Pa., and Clara Virginia Lohr Buhann, Star Junction, Pa.

Kirby Clair Miles, Sandy Ridge, Pa., and Marie Vivian Berendt, Sandy Ridge, Pa.

David Franklin Heavner, Greenspring, W. Va., and Ruby Ellen Lark, Cumberland.

George Roberts, Ligonier, Pa., and Betty Stricker, Ligonier, Pa.

Alex Carman Marshall, Baltimore, and Vivian Adaline Elleu, Steubenville, O.

Jack Moore, Wolfdale, Pa., and Ruth Main, Washington, Pa.

William Austin Carvell, Harrisburg, Pa., and Helen Frances Wilt, Westernport.

—Household equipment—furniture, kitchen ware, dishes, curtains, drapes, rugs and the like—can be produced from petroleum plastics.

District WSCS Conference To Be Held Here May 24

The Hagerstown district WSCS conference will be held in Cumberland May 24. The invitation was accepted and officers installed at the winter conference held in Hagerstown last Friday. The invitation was extended by Mrs. A. E. Koecker, president of the Grace WSCS, where the conference will be held.

Officers from this section include Mrs. John G. Cook, Frostburg, president; Mrs. E. P. Phillips, secretary of Organization and Promotion; Mrs. John P. Zimmerman, secretary of Student Work; Mrs. John R. Wilson, Eckhart Mines, secretary of Youth Work; Mrs. R. J. Reuschlein, secretary of Children's Work; Mrs. W. E. Nelson, Ellerslie, secretary of Spiritual Life; and Mrs. Robert W. Young, secretary of Christian Social Relations.

Attending the winter conference from here were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Koecker, Mrs. John Moffatt, Mrs. Clarence Owens, Grace church; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Young, Davis Memorial; Mrs. B. C. Robinette, Miss Pearl Wilson, Flintstone; the Rev. and Mrs. R. H. Bready, Mrs. Luther Brotemarkie, Miss Wilma Ryan, Mrs. Fred Purnell, Mrs. Rachael James and Mrs. Edna Swann.

VFW Auxiliary Past Presidents Club Makes Donations

The Past Presidents Club of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary voted at a meeting last evening at the VFW home to contribute to the Red Cross and the Maryland Cottage of the National Home Egrets, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Gifts of socks, diaries and autograph books will be sent to the children at the national home; and \$5 will be donated to the Red Cross. Mrs. Grace Bosenburg was named chairman of the Gifts committee.

A social hour was held at the conclusion of the business session and refreshments were served by the Red Cross and Mrs. Alice Miller, co-hostesses.

The next meeting will be held March 25 with Mrs. Elsie Kilroy and Mrs. Bosenburg as hostesses.

Personals

Mrs. Boyd A. Reinhart, 225 Washington street, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Francis A. O'Connell, Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Wolfe, who have resided in Harrisburg, Pa., for the past six years have returned to Cumberland and are residing at 109 North Centre street. Mr. Wolfe operated the Postal Telegraph office during his previous residence here.

A. W. Straub, 202 Maryland avenue, is improving at Wilmer Institute, Johns Hopkins hospital, and was able to sit up for the first, Sunday. Mr. Straub underwent an operation January 21 at the institute.

Miss Betty Lee Larry, student at the University of Maryland, has returned to College Park, after spending the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Virginia Larry, 135 South Liberty street.

Miss Patricia Dougherty, junior chemistry major, West Virginia university, Morgantown, W. Va., spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Leo Dougherty, Ridgeley, W. Va. Miss Dougherty was recently appointed laboratory assistant to Dr. Lazell in Organic chemistry.

Miss Justlyn Wilkes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Wilkes, 320 Virginia avenue, is a patient in Allegheny hospital.

Mrs. James H. Wheeler and son, James, 120 Independence street, have gone to Washington, D. C., to attend the wedding of her sister, Miss Elizabeth Campbell, who has visited here a number of times.

June Hosier Dixon has returned to her home, Cresaptown, after being a patient at Allegheny hospital, where she underwent an operation.

W. T. Lewis, Cresaptown, is improving at Allegheny hospital where he is a patient.

Mrs. Eugene Minnigh has returned to her home in Cresaptown, after being a patient in Allegheny hospital, where she underwent an operation.

Mrs. Beatrice Thompson, Cresaptown, is a patient in Allegheny hospital.

Mrs. Josephine Martin, 525 Dilley street, accompanied by her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stegmair and son; and Mrs. Frank Donahue, have returned from Towson, where they visited Mrs. Martin's daughter, sister M. Ignatia, at the Mother House of the Mission Helpers of the Sacred Heart.

Mrs. Eva Reinhart, Baltimore Pike, is a patient in Memorial hospital.

Local Legionnaires To View Resolutions

Reports on important resolutions adopted by the national executive committee will be read and discussed tonight at the regular meeting of Port Cumberland Post No. 13, American Legion, Samuel A. Graham, post commander, announced.

The meeting is scheduled for 8 o'clock at post headquarters. The resolutions are based upon the controversy between the national commander of the American Legion and Gen. Omar N. Bradley, Veterans Administration administrator, over the Legion leaders' allegations of failure to administer veterans' affairs efficiently.

Graham also announced that reports will be made on the district meeting held Sunday in Frostburg, and upon plans for the Legion celebration to be held March 15, in commemoration of the organization's twenty-eighth anniversary.

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Wahaba Temple, DOKK Plans Spring Ceremonial

Affair Will Be Held at LaVale Firemen's Hall March 8

Wahaba Temple, 237 DOKK, will hold its spring ceremonial March 8 at the LaVale firemen's hall.

It will begin with a turkey dinner at 6:30 o'clock followed by the ceremonial at 8 when eighteen tyros will be initiated, and will conclude with the "Eighth Order," directed by John N. Miller and J. Walter McKee.

J. Walter McKee assisted by Arthur Brant, will serve as master of ceremonies at the dinner and ceremonial, and John C. Fisher, royal vizier, and his divan, will be in charge.

Among the out-of-town guests will be Judge Frank P. Luthard, one of the directors of the Foundation fund, Baltimore; A. Elwood Martak, Keeper of the Records and Seals, also of Baltimore; as well as members of temples in Harrisburg, Pa., McKeesport, Pa., Martinsburg, W. Va., Keyser, W. Va., Washington, D. C., and Delaware.

The tyros include John Hilleary, Ralph Hilleary, Paul Robinette, William Lemmert, Lloyd Nycum, Paul Nycum, Marvin Keigher, Robert B. Kimple, Jr., John W. Laslo, Elmer E. Jeffries, Byron Knight, Richard S. Hotchkiss, Oliver R. Winebrenner, Kemmit Van Pelt, Milton N. Crowe, Ralph Koontz, Joseph F. Baldwin, Ralph F. Crowe, and C. A. Strawderman, Belmont Robinette and Paul E. Wenrich will be reinstated.

John C. Fisher, Andrew Wilson, Joseph Wilson, J. N. Miller, Charles Wolford and David Smith comprise the committee of arrangements.

Sgt. Truman Mencer Jr., Weds Miss Elsie Petz

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Elsie Petz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Petz, Little Falls, N. Y., to Sgt. Truman Mencer, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Mencer, 202 Springdale street.

The ceremony will be performed at 7 o'clock Thursday, in the Midland Methodist church, with the Rev. Raymond Crowe officiating. Miss Elva Sires will be her sister's maid of honor and Kenneth Fatkin will serve as his brother's best man.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Central high school and is employed as a chemist at the Jones and Laughlin Steel Corporation, Alliquippa, Pa.

Mr. Fatkin attended Beall high school and is a veteran of fifty-six months service in the army. A member of the combat MP's of the Thirty-first division he was in the SWP for two years. He is employed by the Celanese Corporation of America.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Sires will entertain with a reception.

B'er Chayim Temple Sisterhood To Mark Anniversary

The seventieth anniversary of B'er Chayim Sisterhood will be celebrated with a dinner and program Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock, in the vestry rooms of the temple.

Mrs. L. Lee Lichtenstein will be toastmaster and Mrs. Allan T. Hirsch, president, will extend greetings. Isaac Hirsch, president of B'er Chayim Congregation, will extend best wishes from the Sunday school.

Harvey H. Weiss, superintendent of Mt. Sinai hospital, former superintendent of Memorial hospital, this city, will be the guest speaker. The musical program will be under the chairmanship of Mrs. Louis Lutz. Reservations should be made with Mrs. Samuel Wertheimer.

Mrs. Ben Kamens is chairman of arrangements and is being assisted by Mrs. Nat Guggenheimer, Mrs. Paye K. Hirsch, Mrs. I. K. Gerson, Mrs. David Kauffman, Mrs. David Sigel, Mrs. George Millenson, Mrs. Sylvia Schwab, Mrs. Michael Beer, Mrs. J. W. Jacobson, Mrs. Louis A. Trexler, Mrs. David Margolis and Mrs. Irving Millenson.

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Polish Mountain Homemakers Will Open New Club

The Polish Mountain Homemakers Club will hold its first meeting in its new club house Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock, with Mrs. Russell Smith presiding.

The club house is on the top of Polish Mountain and is a two room building. Members of the club have painted the interior carrying out a turquoise and ivory color scheme. The one room will be used for a sewing room and a sewing machine, tables for cutting and chairs have been installed. The other room will be a social room, where the business sessions and socials will be held.

The Polish Mountain Homemakers Club was organized last summer and is the only homemakers club to have its own clubhouse.

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Frostburg State Graduate Named To New Position

Sensenbaugh Named Superintendent of Elementary Schools

By RUDOLPH NICKEL

FROSTBURG, Feb. 25.—The appointment of James A. Sensenbaugh, 37, Smithsburg, Washington county, as superintendent of elementary schools in Baltimore, was announced last week by the Baltimore county board of education.

The position was recently created and Sensenbaugh, will assume his duties July 1. He graduated from Frostburg State Teachers college with the class of 1938, received his Master's degree from Columbia university and is at present a student at Columbia where he is completing requirements for a Ph. D. degree.

Sensenbaugh entered the navy in June, 1942, and was honorably discharged with the rank of lieutenant commander. While in service he was connected with the training of aviation cadets in April, 1944 was appointed officer in charge of the ground school at Bunker Hill, Ind.

His duties in the navy were mostly administrative, having to do with housing discipline, liberty, and formation, and supervising the materials and supervising office forces. He served for a short time as instructor of aerology. The staff under his supervision numbered approximately eight officers and enlisted men.

Marriage Is Announced

Thomas Francis Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Robinson, this city, and Miss Pauline Marshall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Marshall, Hazard, Ky., were married last week at the home of the bridegroom by the Rev. Van Beeman, pastor of Prout Run Methodist church, Williamsport, Pa. The Rev. Mr. Beeman, uncle of the bridegroom used the double ring ceremony.

The attendants were Miss Helen Youngerman and Herbert Beeman, an uncle of the bridegroom. Following the wedding the bride and groom were entertained at the bridegroom's home. Mr. and Mrs. Robinson will make their home in Geneva, Ohio, where they are employed by the Industrial Rayon Corporation.

Committee Is Named

John L. Casey, grand knight of Frostburg Council, No. 142, Knights of Columbus has appointed a general membership committee to aid Patrick O'Rourke, chairman in seeking candidates to be initiated into the council during the months of May and June. Those named on the committee, all returned war veterans, are:

Joseph E. Kenney, Carl Delaney, William Sullivan, Paul Jackson, Sam LaPorta, Joseph O'Brien, George Manley, John Kelly, Bernard Kelly, William Malampy, William Kelly, Arthur Valenzano, Stanislaus Quinn, Joseph Strunz, Joseph Robinson and Bernard Schreiber.

Many social and sport events have been planned for the spring, summer, and autumn months. Plans are also being made for the remodeling of the council quarters on Main street.

Pryle Rites Held

Final rites for Mrs. Annie Pryle, 84, who died Thursday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Schroeder, Detroit, were held Monday, 9:30 a. m. in St. Michael's Catholic church, where a requiem mass was celebrated by the Rev. Regis Larkin, assistant pastor.

The pallbearers were Thomas, John and William Leak, Thomas LaVelle, John Beechie and Louis Smith. Interment was in St. Michael's cemetery.

Frostburg Briefs

The Frostburg Lions Club will meet Wednesday, 6:30 p. m., at the Harris restaurant, East Main street. The Van Dyke Bible class of First Methodist church will meet Thursday, 7:30 p. m., in the church. Mess-James Mook, Kyle and Gilbert will be the hostesses.

The United Council of Church Women will meet Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., in the First Presbyterian church, Broadway.

Hyndman Churches Assigned Prayer Service Program

Mrs. Mahlon Evans Named Chairman To Arrange for Event March 8

By LILLIAN HARDEN CRABTREE

HYNDMAN, Pa., Feb. 25.—Mrs. Mahlon Evans, of the Evangelical church, was chosen chairman for the 1946 World's Day of Prayer service to be held March 8 in the Evangelical church, at a committee meeting Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Edward Crabtree, 1945 chairman, was in charge of the committee meeting until a new leader was selected. Mrs. Evans divided this year's program into five parts and assigned them to the five churches, as follows:

Opening—Reformed church; "The Things That Make for Peace"—A Child-like Spirit—Methodist church; "A Quiet and Confident Mind"—Evangelical church; "A Loving Heart"—Church of the Brethren; "Active Goodwill"—Christian church.

Several special selections are being planned for the service.

Farmer's Plan Meeting

Farmers from this area are invited to attend the annual meeting of the Bedford County Agricultural Extension Association to be held in Bedford Thursday, February 28.

E. Baker, president, will start the forenoon program at 1:15 o'clock in the Methodist church and the group will go to the farm.

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Pfc. Weldon Bender Completes Service And Is Discharged

By MRS. H. V. BENDER

PLINTSTONE, Feb. 25.—Pfc. Weldon Bender, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bender, Murley's Branch road, is home after extensive service in the South Pacific. He was hospitalized five times during his service with the Twentieth Infantry Regiment of the Sixth Infantry division.

Entering the service on August 10, 1943, Bender received his training at Camp Lee, Va.; Fort McClellan, Ala., and Fort McDowell, Calif. He left the states for service in the Pacific on March 19, 1944, landing at Milne Bay, New Guinea. His first combat service against the Japanese was at Maffin Bay.

Pfc. Bender was one of the first assault troops to land on Noemfour Island, on July 3, 1944, returning to Maffin Bay for rest after three days of continuous fighting. On Sept. 3, 1944, he was in the assault landing at Sansapor, New Guinea, and on Sept. 9, 1944, made the assault landing at Longyan Gulf, Luzon, in the Philippines. There he was in continuous combat for 112 days. He was still in the front lines and fighting when the news came that the war was over. He said "it was the best news I ever had."

Pfc. Bender was hospitalized five months for concussion from Japanese mortar fire, suffered in the Marinkina Shima action east of Manila. He was also hospitalized four times for malaria.

Pfc. Bender left Luzon in the Philippines, Oct. 8, 1945 for occupation duty in Korea. There he was transferred from the infantry to the Mounted Military Police.

He left Korea for the states Jan. 8 of this year and landed at San Pedro, Calif., Jan. 28. He received separation from the service Feb. 8, 1946, after serving twenty-two months and ten days overseas. He is entitled to wear the Good Conduct, Presidential Citation, Asiatic-Pacific, Philippine Liberation, Victory Medal, American Theater and Purple Heart ribbons and the Combat Infantry badge.

Pfc. Bender is the husband of Mrs. Malda Bender and a brother of Howard Bender and Riel Bender, who have been separated from the service.

Personal

Mrs. B. C. Robinette and Miss Pearl Wilson, members of the WSCS of Plintstone Methodist church, attended the district meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service held Friday in the Washington Square church, Hagerstown.

Miss Audrey Simmons, Washington, spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Simmons, and her sisters, Miss Geraldine Simmons and Mrs. Leona Logston.

Presley E. Perrin, Patuxent River Naval Base, near Washington, spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Perrin, Route 2, Plintstone.

Jack B. Hebrner, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hebrner, left Sunday for Corpus Christi, Texas, where he has been stationed after spending a furlough here with his parents and grandparents. His wife, Mrs. Audrey Hebrner, will return to Texas at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. John Luzner spent several days with Mrs. Luzner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rice, Route 2, Cumberland.

Pfc. and Mrs. Walter S. Bowie, Baltimore, have returned home after visiting Mrs. Bowie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hebrner, and Pfc. Bowie's parents in Morgantown, W. Va.

Bevan Is Promoted To Chief Crewman

Mr. and Mrs. James Harrison, Main street, announce the birth of a daughter, Sandra Kay, Saturday, February 23, at Hodgson clinic, Mrs. Harrison is the former Marion Ellbeck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Ellbeck, seamstress first class son of Mr. and Mrs. William Abbott, is spending a forty-eight day leave at his home, after serving several months on Okinawa. He has been discharged from the service.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Lonaconing, announce the birth of a daughter, Sunday, at the Hodgson clinic, Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Flora Muir.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koon, Baltimore, have returned after visiting Mrs. Koon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Koon plan to visit the latter's sister, Miss June Reed, who is attending school in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moffatt announce the birth of a daughter, Thursday, February 21, at the Hodgson clinic, Mrs. Moffatt is the former Miss Nellie Armitage. The child has been named Ann Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roguish announce the birth of a daughter, Friday, February 22, at the Hodgson clinic, Mrs. Roguish is the former Miss Worlean James.

Mrs. Rhea M. Galloway, College Park, spent the weekend with her twin daughters, Mary Ann and Margaret Galloway, Dudley terrace.

Commercial petroleum production began in China in 1939, yet oil and gas were known and produced in that country 2,000 years ago.

Lillie Thompson Dies in Norfolk

By LUKE McDOWELL

KEYSER, W. Va., Feb. 25.—Mrs. Lillie Jane Evans Thompson, wife of Ted Thompson, Norfolk, Va., died in a hospital in that city, Friday, February 22, following a long illness. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Evans of Oldtown, Md.

The body was shipped to Keyser and taken to the home of her brother, Arlie Evans at Reesess Mill. Funeral services will be held in the Baptist church near Reesess Mill, at 10 a. m. Tuesday. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Besides her widower and brother Arlie Evans she is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Leona Moma and one son, Harold Thompson both of Norfolk. Other survivors are the following brothers and sisters: Otha Evans, Piedmont; Myrl Evans, Cumberland; Martin, Jr., and Lyle Evans, Michigan; Guy Evans, Oldtown; Julian Evans, Cresaptown; Leonard Evans and William Frase—a half-brother, Fort Ashby; Mrs. Ollie Miller, Laurel Dale, W. Va.; Mrs. Ernest Pyles, Fort Ashby; Mrs. Clara Wakener, Cresaptown; Mrs. Leo Sites, Petersburg.

Mott Is Speaker

L. H. Mott, of Davis, was guest speaker at the morning service in First Methodist church, Sunday. The occasion was the annual Layman's day; J. C. Sanders, local layman presided. Mr. Mott spoke on "Lay Evangelism." His address was in keeping with the second year program of the "Crusade for Christ," of the Methodist church.

The First Methodist church is planning a reception in honor of the members and friends of the congregation who have returned from the armed services. A supper will be served in the church dining room at 6 p. m. Wednesday. All men of the congregation, both those who served in the armed services and those who served on the home front are invited.

Hospital Notes

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hayes, of Keyser, in Potomac Valley hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kitzmiller of Elk Garden.

John Welshone, who was stricken with an acute attack of appendicitis Thursday night, was operated upon, Saturday morning. He is reported resting comfortably.

Others admitted to the hospital are Mrs. George Judy, Shaw; Mrs. Hester Swinabart, Ridgeley; Mrs. Barbara Patrick and Mrs. Elizabeth Baker, Piedmont; Ira Kittle, Burlington, and Charles Sprague, Shaw.

Glenn R. Bright, Hendricks, Weds Miss Edna Jones

Single Ring Ceremony Is Performed by Pastor of Oakland Church

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, W. Va., Feb. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones, Grafton, announce the marriage of their daughter, Edna Elizabeth, to Glenn Ruford Bright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bright, Hendricks.

The single-ring ceremony was solemnized in the parsonage of St. Paul's Methodist church, Oakland, Md., February 18, at 3:30 p. m., with Dr. Denver C. Pickens, pastor of the church, officiating.

The bride wore a gown of pale green tulle and net, fashioned over a tight bodice and a sweetheart neckline, with a shoulder corsage of red rosebuds.

The bridegroom recently received an honorable discharge from the army after three years' service. Prior to entering the service he was employed by the Carnegie Illinois Steel Corporation in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Elza, Whitmer, announce the marriage of their daughter, Ollie, to William O. Combs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fredrick Combs, Parsons.

The single-ring ceremony was performed in the parsonage of St. Paul's Methodist church, Oakland, Md., Wednesday, February 20, with Dr. Denver C. Pickens, pastor of the church, officiating.

The bride wore a navy blue suit with black accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds. She is a graduate of Harman high school in the class of 1939.

Combs attended Parsons high school and is a general contractor in Elkins, where the couple will reside.

Miss Rosenau Is Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rosenau, Parsons, announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen Joan, to Russell Chester Knotts, son of Mrs. Minnie Knotts, Parsons, and the late Albert Knotts.

The single-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. I. E. Lewis, retired Methodist minister, of Parsons, February 14.

The bride attended Parsons high school and is now employed by the Dorman Mills, Inc., Parsons.

Return to Ohio

Mrs. Charlene Lennen and daughters, who have been visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harvey, Hendricks, for the past two months left this week for Cincinnati, O., where they will join their husband and father, Vincent Lennen, who has received a discharge from the service with the rank of major. He has resumed his position with an insurance firm there.

Brothers Purchase Farm

Delvin H. Goff, member of the Tucker county board of education, and his brother, Frank Goff, have purchased the Cyrus Parsons farm near St. George, one of the oldest farms in the lower end of the county.

Cyrus and his twin brother, Rufus Parsons, owned and operated a large farm and greenhouse there for many years until their recent deaths. The Goffs will move to the farm in the near future.

Nada Louise Braun Last Rites Held Becomes the Bride For Mrs. Bauman Of William Miller In Meyersdale

Double Ring Ceremony Is Performed In St. John's Lutheran Church

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, Feb. 25.—A social event of much importance to the marriage of Miss Nada Louise Braun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Braun, Davis, to William M. Miller, son of Mrs. Ruth Miller of Davis, and the late William Miller, on Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. in the St. John's Lutheran church in Davis with the Rev. J. Bruce Kaufman, pastor of the church using the double ring ceremony in the presence of a large group of relatives and friends of the couple.

Mrs. Marjorie Penrod, of Davis, played the nuptial music and wedding march and Miss Nancy Smith and Miss Ruth Guey, both of Davis sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly," during the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a street length suit of light blue wool with which she wore navy and white accessories and completed her attire with a corsage of orchids.

Mrs. Lee Tallman, of Detroit, Mich., sister of the bridegroom, served the bride as matron of honor and wore a suit of brown wool with which she wore matching accessories and a corsage of yellow rosebuds. William Braun, uncle of the bride served Mr. Miller as best man.

Mrs. Miller is a graduate of Davis high school in the class of 1941 and also from the Wilcox Business school in Cleveland, Ohio, and for the past three years has been a secretary in the army air force in Cleveland.

Mr. Miller was graduated from Davis high school in 1932 and was employed in the post office in Davis until he entered the United States Army in 1942. He served for eight months on overseas duty as a sergeant in the infantry and wears the ETO ribbon with two stars, the Good conduct medal, the Victory ribbon and the American theater ribbon. He has returned to Davis and resumed his position in the post office there.

Immediately following the service reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for the wedding party and friends after which the couple left for a short honeymoon. Out-of-town guests for the wedding included Mrs. L. B. Tallman, of Detroit; Mrs. Aldith Patterson, of Aderson; Miss Patricia Patterson, of Washington University; Mr. and Mrs. William Braun, of Pittsburgh, Pa.; Mr. and Mrs. Emil Braun and family, of Cleveland, O.; Mrs. Frank Smock and Mrs. Cleon Mock of Reading, Pa.; Miss Freda Braun of Parkersburg, and Helen Braun of Parkersburg.

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Doctor Is Sought By Midland Legion

By WILLIAM WILSON

MIDLAND, Feb. 25.—The newly organized Midland Post No. 169, American Legion, has started a movement in the community to obtain a doctor. A committee composed of Daniel Devlin, Herbert Stevens, and Robert Miller met with representatives of various organizations Wednesday evening in the Firemen's hall and reported to the Legion Thursday evening at their regular meeting that it was decided to petition the citizens for their support of a doctor.

They also reported that a public meeting will be held March 13 in the Firemen's hall for further reports. The Legion requests that residents co-operate to the fullest extent.

The Midland post will sponsor a baseball team in the Bi-State league this coming season.

Speakers of the evening were Mountain District Vice Commander Al Powers, Frostburg, and Mountain District Inspector William Rankin, Lonaconing.

Nomination and election of officers will be held Thursday evening in the Legion hall. The post now has eighty-one members.

Enters University

Thomas S. Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Blair, and husband of the former Bette Giotfely, Frostburg, has entered University of Maryland for the second semester and expects to complete a three-year course in business and public administration.

Prior to his enlistment in the army air corps in 1942, he had attended Frostburg State Teachers' college, for two and one-half years. A veteran of twenty-nine months' service on the islands of Trinidad and Barbados, he was also stationed at West Palm Beach, Fla., and at Bolling field, Washington, D. C. He was discharged since last October.

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Maryland Traffic Fatalities Increase

By WILLIAM WILSON

BALTIMORE, Feb. 25.—The Maryland Traffic Safety Commission reported today that thirty-nine persons met their deaths in traffic accidents during the month of January, and 617 others were injured.

These figures indicated an increase of nine deaths and 143 injuries over January, 1945, the announcement said.

A total of 1,187 accidents were reported to police agencies, 707 of them in Baltimore city. Of the Baltimore accidents thirteen resulted in deaths, and 350 in injuries.

Twelve of the state's counties experienced a fatality-free month, the commission disclosed. They were Calvert, Carroll, Cecil, Charles, Dorchester, Garrett, Queen Anne, Somerset, Talbot, Wicomico and Worcester.

Calvert and Kent counties reported no deaths, no injuries, no accidents.

A graduate of Petersburg high school and Potomac State college, Keyser, he was employed at the Fairchild Aircraft Corporation, Hagerstown, Md., when he entered service. He is now employed as a bookkeeper in the office of the Central

Member Audit Bureau of Circulations

Frostburg State Graduate Named To New Position

Sensenbaugh Named Superintendent of Elementary Schools

By RUDOLPH NICKEL
FROSTBURG, Feb. 25.—The appointment of James A. Sensenbaugh, 37, Smithburg, Washington county, as superintendent of elementary schools in Baltimore, was announced last week by the Baltimore county board of education.

The position was recently created and Sensenbaugh, who has been in the Baltimore county school system since 1933, received his Master's degree from Columbia university and is at present a student at Columbia where he is completing requirements for a Ph. D. degree.

Sensenbaugh entered the navy in June, 1942, and was honorably discharged with the rank of lieutenant commander. While in service he was connected with the training for aviation cadets and in April, 1944 was appointed officer in charge of the ground school at Bunker Hill, Ind.

His duties in the navy were mostly administrative, having to do with housing discipline, liberty, mustering formations, providing materials and supervising office forces. He served for a short time as instructor of aerology. The staff under his supervision numbered approximately eight officers and enlisted men.

Marriage Is Announced

Thomas Francis Robison, son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Robison, this city, and Miss Pauline Marshall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Marshall, Hazard, Ky., were married last week at the home of the bridegroom by the Rev. Van Beeman, pastor of Prout Run Methodist church, Williamsport, Pa. The Rev. Mr. Beeman, uncle of the bridegroom used the double ring ceremony.

The attendants were Miss Helen Youngman and Herbert Beeman, an uncle of the bridegroom. Following the wedding the bride and groom were entertained at the Robison home. Mr. and Mrs. Robison will make their home in Geneva, Ohio, where they are employed by the Industrial Rayon Corporation.

Committee Is Named

John L. Casey, grand knight of Frostburg Council No. 1442, Knights of Columbus has appointed a general membership committee to aid Patrick O'Rourke, chairman in seeking candidates to be initiated into the council during the months of March and June. Those named on the committee, all returned war veterans, are:

Joseph E. Kenney, Carl Delaney, William Sullivan, Paul Jackson, Sam LaPorta, Joseph O'Brien, George Manley, John Kelly, Bernard Kelly, William Malachuk, William Kelly, Arthur Valenzano, Stanislaus Rafferty, William LaManna, James Quinn, Joseph Struntz, Joseph Robinson and Bernard Schreiber.

Many Social and Sport Events Have Been Planned for the Spring, Summer and Autumn Months

Plans are also being made for the remodeling of the council quarters on Main street.

Pryle Rites Held

Final rites for Mrs. Annie Pryle, 84, who died Thursday night at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Schreiber, Detroit, were held Monday, 9:30 a. m., in St. Michael's Catholic church, where a requiem mass was celebrated by the Rev. Regis Larkin, assistant pastor.

The pallbearers were Thomas John and William Leak, Thomas LaVelle, John Beechie and Louis Smith. Interment was in St. Michael's cemetery.

Frostburg Briefs

The Frostburg Lions club will meet Wednesday, 6:30 p. m., at the Harris restaurant, East Main street. The Van Dyle Bible class of First Methodist church will meet Thursday, 7:30 p. m., in the church. Mesdames Meek, Kyle and Gilbert will be the hostesses.

The United Council of Church Women will meet Tuesday, 7:30 p. m., in the First Presbyterian church, Broadway.

Hyndman Churches Assigned Prayer Service Program

Mrs. Mahlon Evans Named Chairman To Arrange for Event March 8

By LILLIAN HARDEN CRABTREE
HYNDMAN, Pa., Feb. 25.—Mrs. Mahlon Evans, of the Evangelical church, was chosen chairman for the 1946 World's Day of Prayer service to be held March 8 in the Evangelical church, at a committee meeting Sunday afternoon at the Methodist church.

Mrs. Edward Crabtree, 1945 chairman, was in charge of the committee meeting until a new leader was selected. Mrs. Evans divided this year's program into five parts and assigned them to the five churches, as follows:

Opening—Reformed church; "The Things That Make for Peace — A Child-like Spirit" — Methodist church; "A Quiet and Confident Mind" — Evangelical church; "A Loving Heart" — Church of the Brethren; "Active Goodwill" — Christian church.

Several special selections are being planned for the service.

Farmers Plan Meeting

Farmers from this area are invited to attend the annual meeting of the Bedford County Agricultural Extension Association to be held in Bedford Thursday, February 28.

Sam E. Baker, president, will start the forenoon program at 1:15 o'clock in the Methodist church, and the group will go to the Fort

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Pfc. Weldon Bender Completes Service And Is Discharged

By MRS. H. V. BENDER

FLINTSTONE, Feb. 25.—Pfc. Weldon Bender, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bender, Murley's Branch road, is home after extensive service in the South Pacific. He was hospitalized five times during his service with the Twentieth Infantry Regiment of the Sixth Infantry division.

Entering the service on August 14, 1942, Bender received his training at Camp Lee, Va.; Fort McClellan, Ala., and Fort McDowell, Calif. He left the states for service in the Pacific on March 19, 1944 landing at Milne Bay, New Guinea. His first combat service against the Japanese was at Maffin Bay.

Pfc. Bender was one of the first assault troops to land on Noemurur on July 3, 1944, returning to Maffin Bay for rest after three days of continuous fighting. On Sept. 3, 1944, he was in the assault landing at Sansapor, New Guinea, and on Jan. 9, 1945 made the assault landing at Longayan, Luzon, in the Philippines.

There he was in continuous combat for 12 days. He was still in the front lines and fighting when the news came that the war was over. He said it was the best news he ever had.

Pfc. Bender was hospitalized five months for concussion from Japanese 150 mm mortar fire, suffered in the Marikina Shima action east of Manila. He was also hospitalized four times for malaria.

Pfc. Bender left Luzon in the Philippines, Oct. 4, 1945 for occupation duty in Korea. There he was transferred from the infantry to the Mounted Military Police.

He left Korea for the states Jan. 8 of this year and landed at San Pedro, Calif., Jan. 28. He received separation from the service Feb. 8, 1946, after serving twenty months and ten days overseas.

He is entitled to wear the Good Conduct, Presidential Citation, Asiatic-Pacific, Philippine Liberation, Victory Medal, American Theater and Purple Heart ribbons and the Combat Infantry badge.

Pfc. Bender is the husband of Mrs. Malda Bender and a brother of Howard Bender and Riel Bender, who have been separated from the service.

Personal

Mrs. B. C. Robinette and Miss Pearl Wilson, members of the WSCS of Flintstone Methodist church, attended the district meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service held Friday in the Washington Square church, Hagerstown.

Miss Audrey Simmons, Washington, spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Simmons, and her sisters, Miss Geraldine Simmons and Mrs. Leona Louston.

Presley E. Perrin, Patuxent River Naval Base, near Washington, spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Perrin, Route 2, Flintstone.

Jack B. Heber, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Heber, left Sunday for Corpus Christi, Texas, where he has been stationed after spending a furlough here with his parents and grandparents. His wife, Mrs. Audrey Heber, will return to Texas at a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. John Luzner spent several days with Mrs. Luzner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rice, Route 2, Cumberland.

Pfc. and Mrs. Walter S. Bowie, Baltimore, have returned home after visiting Mrs. Bowie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Heber, and Pfc. Bowie's parents in Morgantown, W. Va.

Bevan Is Promoted To Chief Crewman

By MARIE MERRBACH

LONACONING, Feb. 25.—Pfc. William E. Bevan, of the Twenty-third fighter squadron, Thirty-sixth fighter group, at Kassel, Germany, has been promoted to the rating of chief crewman. He wrote his mother, Mrs. Mary Bevan, Hanekamp street, that he enjoys his work immensely. Pfc. Bevan left for overseas last December, landing in France, Christmas day.

Pfc. Earl K. Bevan, his brother, is stationed at the Cairo air depot as mechanic. He expects to be released from his present duty some time in March.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. James Harrison, Main street, announce the birth of a daughter, Sandra Kay, Saturday, February 23, at Hodgson clinic. Mrs. Harrison is the former Marion Ellbeck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Ellbeck, St. Mary's terrace.

Walter Abbott, seaman first class, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Abbott, is spending a forty-eight day leave at his home, after serving several months on Okinawa. He has released for two years.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Lonaconing, announce the birth of a daughter Sunday at the Hodgson clinic. Mrs. Smith is the former Miss Flora Muir.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Koon, Baltimore, have returned after visiting Mrs. Koon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Koon plan to visit the latter's sister, Miss June Reed, who is attending school in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Moffatt announce the birth of a daughter Thursday, February 21, at the Hodgson clinic. Mrs. Moffatt is the former Miss Nellie Warrick. The child has been named Ann Elaine.

Mr. and Mrs. John Roguish announce the birth of a daughter Friday, February 22, at the Hodgson clinic. Mrs. Roguish is the former Miss Worlean James.

Mrs. Rhea M. Galloway, College Park, spent the weekend with her twin daughters, Mary Ann and Margaret Galloway, Dudley terrace.

Commercial petroleum production began in China in 1839, yet oil and gas were known and produced in that country 2,000 years ago.

Lillie Thompson Dies in Norfolk

By LUKE McDOWELL

KEYSER, W. Va., Feb. 25.—Mrs. Lillie Jane Evans Thompson, wife of Ted Thompson, Norfolk, Va., died in a hospital in that city, Friday, February 22, following a long illness. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Evans of Oldtown, Md.

The body was shipped to Keyser and taken to the home of her brother, Arlie Evans at Reesess Mill. Funeral services will be held in the Baptist church near Reesess Mill, at 10 a. m. Tuesday. Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Besides her widower and brother, Arlie Evans she is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Leona Mowam and one son Harold Thompson both of Norfolk. Other survivors are the following brothers and sisters: Otho Evans, Piedmont; Myrl Evans, Cumberland; Martin, Jr., and Lyle Evans, Michigan; Guy Evans, Oldtown; Julian Evans, Cresaptown; Leonard Evans and William Frase—a half-brother, Fort Ashby; Mrs. Ollie Liller, Laurel Dale, W. Va.; Mrs. Ernest Pyles, Fort Ashby; Mrs. Clarence Wagoner, Cresaptown; Mrs. Leo Sites, Frostburg.

Mott Is Speaker

L. H. Mott, of Davis, was guest speaker at the morning service in First Methodist church, Sunday.

The occasion was the annual Layman's day; J. C. Sanders, local lay leader presided. Mr. Mott spoke on "Lay Evangelism". His address was in keeping with the second year program of the "Crusade for Christ", of the Methodist church.

The First Methodist church is planning a reception in honor of the members and friends of the congregation who have returned from the armed services. A supper will be served in the church dining room at 6 p. m. Wednesday. All men of the congregation, both those who served in the armed services and those who served on the home front are invited.

Hospital Notes

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hayes of Keyser, in Potomac Valley hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Kitzmiller of Elk Garden.

John Welshence, who was stricken with an acute attack of appendicitis Thursday night, was operated upon, Saturday morning. He is reported resting comfortably.

Others admitted to the hospital are Mrs. George Judy, Shaw; Mrs. Hester Swinburn, Ridgeley; Mrs. Barbara Detrick and Mrs. Elizabeth Baker, Piedmont; Ira Kille, Burlington, and Charles Sprague, Shaw.

Glenn R. Bright, Hendricks, Weds Miss Edna Jones

Single Ring Ceremony Is Performed by Pastor of Oakland Church

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, W. Va., Feb. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones, Grafton, announce the marriage of their daughter, Edna Elizabeth, to Glenn Ruford Bright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bright, Hendricks.

The single-ring ceremony was solemnized in the parsonage of St. Paul's Methodist church, Oakland, Md., February 18, at 3:30 p. m., with Dr. Denver C. Pickens, pastor of the church, officiating.

The bride wore a gown of pale green tulle and net, fashioned over a tight bodice and a sweetheart neckline, with a shoulder corsage of red rosebuds.

The bridegroom recently received an honorable discharge from the army after three years' service. Prior to entering the service he was employed by the Carnegie Illinois Steel Corporation in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Elza, Whitmer, announce the marriage of their daughter, Ollie, to William O. Combs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Combs, Parsons.

The single-ring ceremony was performed in the parsonage of St. Paul's Methodist church, Oakland, Wednesday, February 20, with Dr. Denver C. Pickens, pastor of the church, officiating.

The bride wore a navy blue suit with black accessories and a corsage of pink rosebuds. She is a graduate of Harman high school in the class of 1939.

Combs attended Parsons high school and is a general contractor in Elkins, where the couple will reside.

Miss Roseau Is Wed

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roseau, Parsons, announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen Jean, to Russell Chester Knotts, son of Mrs. Minnie Knotts, Parsons, and the late Albert Knotts.

The single-ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. I. E. Lewis, retired Methodist minister, of Parsons, February 14.

The bride attended Parsons high school and is now employed by the Dorman Mills, Inc., Parsons.

Return to Ohio

Mrs. Charlene Lennen and daughter, who have been visiting at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Harvey, Hendricks, for the past two months left this week for Cincinnati, O., where they will join their husband and father, Vincent Lennen, who has received a discharge from the service with the rank of major. He has resumed his position with an insurance firm there.

Brothers Purchase Farm

Delvin H. Goff, member of the Tucker county board of education, and his brother, Frank Goff, have purchased the Cyrus Parsons farm near St. George, one of the oldest farms in the lower end of the county.

Cyrus and his twin brother, Rufus Parsons, owned and operated a large farm and greenhouse there for many years until their recent deaths. The Goffs will move to the farm in the near future.

Nada Louise Braun Becomes the Bride Of William Miller

By HELEN COLLETT

PARSONS, Feb. 25.—A social event of much importance was the marriage of Miss Nada Louise Braun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Braun, Davis, to William Miller, a son of Mrs. Ruth Miller of Davis and the late William Miller, on Saturday afternoon at 2 p. m. in St. John's Lutheran church in Davis with the Rev. J. Bruce Kaufman, pastor of the church using the double ring ceremony in the presence of a large group of relatives and friends of the couple.

Mrs. Marjorie Penrod, of Davis, played the nuptial music and wedding march and Miss Nancy Smith and Miss Ruth Greig, both of Davis, sang "Because" and "I Love You Truly" during the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a street length suit of light blue wool with which she wore navy and white accessories and completed her attire with a corsage of orchids.

Mrs. Le. Tullman, of Detroit, Mich., sister of the bridegroom, served the bride as matron of honor and wore a suit of brown wool with which she wore matching accessories and a corsage of yellow rosebuds.

William Braun, uncle of the bride served Mr. Miller as best man.

Mrs. Miller is a graduate of Davis high school in the class of 1941 and also from the Wilcox Business school in Cleveland, Ohio, and for the past three years has been a secretary in the army air force in Cleveland.

Mr. Miller was graduated from Davis high school in 1932 and was assigned to the Davis office, Davis, until he entered the United States Army in 1942. He served for eighteen months on overseas duty as a sergeant in the infantry and wears the ETO ribbon with two stars, the Good conduct medal, the Victory ribbon and the American theater ribbon. He has returned to Davis and resumed his position in the post office there.

Immediately following the service a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents for the wedding party and friends after which the couple left for a short honeymoon. They will reside in Davis.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding included Mrs. L. B. Tallman, of Detroit; Mrs. Aldith Patterson, of Alkerson; Miss Patricia Patterson, of West Virginia university; Mr. and Mrs. William Braun and daughter, Pittsburgh, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Emil Braun and family, of Cleveland, O.; Mrs. Frank Smock and Mrs. Cleon Mock of Reading, Pa.; Miss Freda Braun of Washington and Helen Braun of Parkersburg.

Celebrates Birthday

One of the best known residents of Hendricks, Allen S. Lindsey, celebrated his seventieth birthday recently there and was honored with a surprise birthday dinner with a tiered cake bearing seventy candles as the centerpiece for the table flanked on either side by tall lighted tapers.

Mr. Lindsey was born February 8, 1876 in Barbour county a son of the late Z. N. and Mary Cole Lindsey and came to Hendricks in 1903. He was married to the former Isabelle Watts, of Belington, September 28, 1904. They have the following children, Mrs. Aleene Trippett, of Hendricks, and Mrs. Betty Sue Lake, of Keyser, and thirteen grandchildren.

Mr. Lindsey has seven brothers and sisters still living and they are: Mrs. B. V. Wolf of Kasson, Mrs. Hannah Thorp and Mrs. Earl DeMoss both of Grafton; Mrs. Allen Sinclair, Newburg, Sherman Lindsey, of Philippi, L. H. Lindsey, of Salem, O., and L. G. Lindsey, of Thornton.

When Mr. Lindsey came to Hendricks in 1903 he was employed as a bookkeeper for the J. E. Poling company for three years, and then left that company to become auditor of the Dry Fork railroad for nine years after which he became the general manager and held that position for eighteen and one half years. He has also served as a member of the Tucker county Board of Education and is a member of the Pythagoras Lodge No. 128, A. F. and A. M., of Parsons, of which he is a charter member. He is also a member of the Starline and a thirty-second degree Mason.

Farm Bureau Elects

Selby Adams, of Limestone, was elected president of the Tucker County Farm Bureau to succeed George Kiser, at a meeting held in the county agent's office in Parsons Saturday afternoon. Other officers elected were: R. E. Aberle, vice president, and Miss Eloise Painter, secretary-treasurer.

Directors are: George Kiser, Blackfoot district; C. C. Harsh, Clover district; M. L. Cooper for Davis district; Ben F. Thompson for Dry Fork district; Okey Siles, for Licking district and B. B. Parsons for St. George district.

The newly elected president will appoint committeemen at a later date.

Mahlon E. Burkey Dies

Funeral services were conducted in Frostburg for the late Mahlon E. Burkey, 59, who died at his home there following a lingering illness. He was born September 30, 1886 in Indiana County, Pa., and came to Parsons with his parents thirty-seven years ago.

He had been employed in Morgantown for the past few years. He is survived by his widow, the former Edna Pyock, and the following children: Russell and Blair, Mrs. Pluma Micheal and Miss Alfretha Burkey all of Morgantown.

Brothers and sisters include Hershel, of Petersburg; Meade O., of Baltimore, Md.; Dorsey, Clay and Bud Burkey, all of Nanyale, Pa.; Leland of Parsons, Mrs. Earl Griffith, of Warren, O., Mrs. A. E. Walker, of Glenn Campbell, Pa., and Mrs. Vesta Williams of Niles, O.

He is also survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Burkey, of Route 1, Parsons, who celebrated their thirty-seventh anniversary.

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Last Rites Held For Mrs. Bauman In Meyersdale

By W. A. SHOEMAKER

MIDLAND, Feb. 25.—The newly organized Midland Post No. 169, American Legion, has started a movement in the community to obtain a doctor. A committee composed of Daniel Devlin, Herbert Stevens, and Robert Miller met with representatives of various organizations Wednesday evening in the Firemen's hall and reported to the Legion Thursday evening at their regular meeting that it was decided to petition the citizens for their support of a doctor.

They also reported that a public meeting will be held March 13 in the Firemen's hall for further reports. The Legion requests that residents co-operate to the fullest extent.

The Midland post will sponsor a baseball team in the Bi-State league this coming season.

Speakers of the evening were Mountain District Vice Commander Frank Powers, Frostburg, and Mountain District Inspector William Rankin, Lonaconing.

Nomination and election of officers will be held Thursday evening in the Legion hall. The post now has eighty-one members.

Enters University

Thomas S. Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Blair, and husband of the former Bette Gifford, Frostburg, has entered University of Maryland for the second semester and expects to complete a three-year course in business and public administration.

Prior to his enlistment in the army air corps in 1942, he had attended Frostburg State Teachers' college, for two and one-half years. A veteran of twenty-nine months' service on the islands of Trinidad and Barbados, he was also stationed at West Palm Beach, Fla., and at Bolling field, Washington, D. C. He was discharged since last October.

Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Herwig, Meyersdale, announce the marriage of their daughter, Norma, to Cpl. William Alvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Alvey, Salt Lake City, Utah. The marriage was solemnized Wednesday, February 6, by the Rev. George Connor in the Presbyterian church, Washington, D. C., using the double-ring ceremony.

The bride, attired in a grey suit with black accessories and wearing a corsage of red rosebuds, chose Miss Vera Grasser, Meyersdale, as her maid of honor. The bridegroom was attended by Staff Sgt. Clair H. Thomas, Reading, Pa. Following the ceremony a reception was held in the Stratford hotel, Washington.

Mrs. Alvey is a graduate of Meyersdale high school, and has been employed at Bolling field air base, Washington, for two years. Cpl. and Mrs. Alvey are spending a few days at the home of the bride's parents, and will leave shortly for Salt Lake City to spend some time at the home of the bridegroom. They will reside in Washington, D. C.

Announcement Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. V. Di Valentino, Cuba street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Liberty, to Robert C. Meyers, Durham, N. C. Miss Valentino is employed in Washington, D. C., while Meyers, recently discharged from the marine corps, is now employed at the Bureau of the Census, in Washington.

Mrs. Rose Hauser, sister of the bride-elect, entertained with a Valentine party at her home in Washington, February 9, in honor of the wedding. No date has been set for the wedding.

Personal

James B. Hummel, local merchant, left yesterday to spend some time in Florida for the benefit of his health.

The Rev. Nelson C. Brown, pastor of Amity Evangelical and Reformed church, returned Saturday from Salisbury, N. C., where he attended a meeting of the trustees of Catawba college.

J. M. Canney, who is employed in Pittsburgh, Pa., spent the weekend at his home on Beachy street.

Mrs. William Light, Akron, O., is spending several days visiting her brothers, Charles and Frank Williams, at the Colonial hotel.

Miss Mary June Wiland, employed in Washington, D. C., who spent several days with her mother, Mrs. J. M. Wiland, returned yesterday.

Dr. Charles Griffith, Philadelphia, Pa., spent the past several days visiting his mother, Mrs. Charles Griffith, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Fike.

Mrs. Merrill McIntosh, Lock Haven, spent several days last week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Pfahler, Beachy street, and her grandmother, Mrs. E. J. Daneker, Cumberland, Md.

Robert Vitale, student at Temple university, Philadelphia, is spending a brief vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Vitale, Main street.

TUES.-WED. **PALACE** MATINEE NIGHT
"RHAPSODY IN BLUE"
with Robert Alda - Joan Leslie - Alexis Smith - Charles Coburn
Paul Whitman - Al Tolson

LAST TIMES **LYRIC** DOUBLE FEATURE
"TWO O'CLOCK COURAGE"
with Tom Conway, Ann Rutherford, Richard Lane

"SOUTH OF THE RIO GRANDE"
with Duncan Renaldo, Martin Garralaga, Armida

GRACE M. FISHER THEATRES **MARYLAND** STARTING... TOMORROW
Gable's back! and Garson's got him!

Adventure
THE MOTION PICTURE EVENT OF THE YEAR
Feature Time—12:00, 2:22, 4:14, 7:06 and 9:28 P. M.

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Keyser-Moorefield Tilt Tops Cage Card Tonight

**Allegany Seeks Twelfth
In Row at Ridgeley;
Berkeley Springs Is
Host to LaSalle**

Contenders for the Potomac Valley basketball championship will clash tonight when the opening game in Keyser in the opening game in Keyser will move Keyser into first place and the race then would end in a tie between Keyser and Piedmont as the latter is a heavy favorite to win its final game at Romney on Friday.

Jackets Lost Opener

Moorefield suffered a 33-22 defeat in Keyser in the opening game in Keyser but expects to give the Mineral counties a closer run for the honors in the return tilt tonight.

The jackets have split even with Piedmont, winning 25-24 and losing 34-26 while Keyser has also divided with Piedmont, winning the opener 30-27 and dropping the second game 32-31.

Two other PVC games are on tap for tonight. Petersburg's Vikings are slated to play in Mathias while Wardensville's Warriors will play hosts to Capon Bridge.

LaSalle will engage in its thirty-first game of the season, seeking its twenty-second victory over the Bath District high cagers at Berkeley Springs, W. Va. LaSalle won the opener here, 41 to 28.

AHS Invades Ridgeley

Allegany will play a return game at Ridgeley and will be gunning for its twelfth straight victory over a team it defeated earlier in the season at Campobello by the score of 41 to 22. Ridgeley has improved greatly since that encounter and expects to give the Campers a real battle.

Other games listed for tonight include: Davis at Kingwood, Oakland at Central (Lonaconing), Parsons at Condon, Accident at Elk Garden, Fort Ashby at Beall, Sonnerset at Bedford, Thomas at Tygart's Valley, Bruce at Paw Paw.

Pair of Potential Giant-Killers Are In Widener Field

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 25 (AP)—If anything can beat Concordian, the rheumatic Boston frebelle, the experts tonight were figuring that two long shots might turn the trick in the \$50,000 Widener handicap at Hialeah next Saturday.

On paper, the classic shapes up as strictly a renewal of the duel between the sensational Concordian, winner of his last four starts, and Calumet farm's great but heavily weighted Armed.

Once again, under conditions laid down weeks ago, Armed will have to concede Concordian a hot carrier's burden in the imports. He will carry 128 pounds against Concordian's featherly 109.

So the crystal-ball gazers are brooding darkly about a couple of potential giant-killers named South Dakota and Chief Barker at the prospective odds of 15-1 and 12-1.

South Dakota, which has won the soubriquet of the "Whirlaway of the county fair tracks," is the four-year-old son of Omaha and is being shipped here from New Orleans especially for a crack at the Widener pot of gold.

Owned by Al Smith, South Dakota has been burning up the small-time tracks, and last August set the world's record of one minute and forty seconds flat for a mile and seventy yards. That was at Cincinnati's River Downs track.

Chief Barker, coupled with Hitem as Ben Whitaker's entry, is quoted at 12 to 1 in the early line, but the chief has been improving since he was beaten by Armed and scored a smashing victory last week in a mile and one-eighth allowance race.

Western Maryland Downs Bridgewater

WESTMINSTER, Md., Feb. 25 (AP)—Western Maryland college defeated Bridgewater college, 54-36 this afternoon, knocking out any chance the Virginians had for a place in the Mason-Dixon Conference basketball tournament starting Thursday night at Loyola college in Baltimore.

The Bridgewater defeat assures Catholic university of a tourney berth.

The Terrors went ahead early and stayed there in a loosely played game, holding a 29-9 advantage at halftime. Western Maryland used eleven players, and all took part in the scoring.

It was the fifth defeat in six games for Bridgewater, and Western Maryland's sixth victory against nine losses.

Catholic university, with three victories in eleven games, plays Western Maryland here tomorrow night, but the game will make no difference in the tournament plans. Catholic will meet Loyola in the final game of the first round Thursday.

DiMaggio Gets Four Hits as Yankees Win

CRISTOBAL, C. Z., Feb. 25 (AP)—Joe DiMaggio belted out four hits in as many trips to the plate today as he paced the New York Yankees to their fifth straight exhibition victory, a 12-4 rout of the Army All-Stars.

The score: NEW YORK 12, ARMY ALL-STARS 4. Hitting: DiMaggio, 4-14; Deron, 2-10; Karpis, 1-10; Crenny, 1-10; Mingo, 1-10; and Gaus, 0-1.

D. and E. Converts 20 of 23 Fouls, Defeats Potomac

**Calattempts Outscore Win-
ners from Field but Lose
48 to 40**

KEYSER, W. Va., Feb. 25.—Outscored fifteen to fourteen from the field, Davis and Elkins college hoopsmen converted twenty of twenty-three foul tosses to defeat Coach Dana "Horse" Lough's Potomac State Catamounts 48-40 here tonight.

The Catamounts, after trailing 17-16 at the quarter, came back in the second period to hold a 24-21 edge at the intermission. In the third quarter, D. and E. again forged to the front and the start of the final round found the visitors on top 39-31. In the last period, Davis and Elkins maintained its eight-point advantage.

Payne was outstanding for the winners, meshing eight field goals and making good on seven of eight chances at the charity stripe for a total of twenty-three points. Cassidy and Montgomery accounted for twenty of Potomac's tallies.

Following the game, Coach Lough said his Catamounts will bring their regular season to a close Friday by meeting the Newton Baker hospital outfit, of Martinsburg, W. Va., at Keyser. Next Monday, Potomac will travel to Buckhannon for the opening of the West Virginia Intercollegiate Conference tournament.

The local outfit is scheduled to meet Morris Harvey Monday night in its journey lid-lifter. The lineups:

D. AND E. G. F. Pts.
Collett, f..... 4-14 12
Phillips, f..... 2-3 3
Payne, c..... 8-7 8
McGee, c..... 0-5 0
Mama, f..... 1-0 0
Skidmore, sub..... 0-0 0
Tommas, sub..... 0-0 0
Isner, sub..... 0-0 0

POTOMAC STATE G. F. Pts.
Cassidy, f..... 4-3 8
Harwood, f..... 0-1 0
Davis, c..... 1-2 2
Montgomery, g..... 3-6 6
McMurry, g..... 2-1 2
Mama, f..... 1-0 0
Robey, sub..... 0-0 0

Totals..... 15-10-40 39-31
D. AND E. 17 21 39
POTOMAC STATE 16 21 31
Referee—Miers

A crowd of 12,166, largest of the season here, paid \$51,894.50 to see the slugfest game, in which the easterner had the edge all the way.

Highlight of the fight came in the seventh, when Walcott threw a right from somewhere around his hip, landing it on Bivins's chin. The Clevelander went down for an eight count, and when he came up was battered around the ring the remainder of the session.

Bivins went into the scrap a three to one favorite on the strength of six straight wins, extending through twenty-five fights back to April, 1942, when Bob Pastor won the nod over him.

Walcott, unimpressed by Bivins's high ranking, waded in from the first bell and extended his own winning streak to twenty, including fourteen knockouts, since he came out of retirement eighteen months ago.

The Elks Garden-Romney tussle was a low-scoring affair for the first half, each team gathering only eight points in the first two periods. Elks Garden limited Romney to two markers in the opening round but the Pioneers turned the tables in the following stanza to tie the score.

The scoring pace quickened in the third round, which ended with Elks Garden in front, 26-18. Elks Garden's reserves started the contest and gave way to the regulars midway in the second stanza. Mason paced the winners with nine points while Rannels had ten for the Pioneers.

Wardensville shut out Capon Bridge in the first period to take a 13-0 lead and was on top 19-7 at the half and 31-11 after three rounds. Morris had twelve points and Peet ten for Wardensville while Peacemaker made three of Capon Bridge's six fielders. Wardensville won five games and tied three in the conference and will close its regular season Thursday by meeting Edinburgh, Va., high at Edinburgh.

The scores:

ELKS GARDEN G. F. Pts.
Schwabert, f..... 2-8 4
Dushong, f..... 2-8 4
Bane, c..... 0-1 0
Brinkman, c..... 0-1 0
Kittmiller, g..... 1-0 2
Mason, sub..... 1-1 2
Murphy, sub..... 3-1 6
Elliott, sub..... 0-0 0
Gowers, sub..... 0-0 0
Best, sub..... 2-0 4

Totals..... 2-10-24 17-18
ROMNEY G. F. Pts.
Rannels, f..... 4-14 12
Bairst, f..... 2-1 2
Jackson, c..... 1-3 3
Keister, g..... 1-2 2
Montgomery, g..... 0-0 0
Roach, sub..... 0-0 0
Henderson, sub..... 0-0 0

Totals..... 9-7-13 26-18
Official—Long and Duse

WARDENSVILLE G. F. Pts.
Heishman, f..... 3-4 6
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Peet, c..... 0-0 0
McKee, g..... 1-2 2
Kittmiller, g..... 1-0 2
Scott, sub..... 1-0 2
Morris, sub..... 3-12 6
Smith, sub..... 0-0 0
Garrett, sub..... 0-0 0
Long, sub..... 0-0 0
Geddes, sub..... 0-0 0
Mathias, sub..... 0-0 0

Totals..... 17-6-10 48-40
Capon Bridge G. F. Pts.
Peacemaker, f..... 3-0 6
Poland, f..... 1-0 0
Larrie, c..... 2-1 2
Frank, g..... 1-2 2
Perrill, g..... 0-0 0
J. Frank, sub..... 0-0 0

Totals..... 6-2-14
Referee—Hoops

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Biggest gate in boxing history is listed on the record books as \$2,558,660, for the Tunney-Dempsey heavyweight fight in Chicago in 1936.

The Dempsey-Tunney fight was staged in an outdoor stadium, Soldiers' Field, to accommodate the 105,000 fans who attended. It was in this battle that the much-disputed "long count" was given Gene Tunney by the referee, Dave Barry.

The bout was held in New York's Madison Square Garden and attracted only 15,822 fans.

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That's a heavy summer schedule for a 35-year-oldster who was in the army for four years but Hank says he will have no excuse once spring training is over.

Some of the boys have been wondering what Hank's legs are made of. "They forget I came out of service last year and started playing right in the middle of the season. Then when I hurt my ankle I still kept trying to play. Sure I had charley horses, trying too hard too early. Anybody looks bad trying to run with a charley horse."

"I think I did pretty fair last year with sixty runs batted in and thirteen home runs in only half a season. No, I don't figure this is my last year. I think I am about three years left, in fact I am adopting a slogan for 1948 right now, 'Share the Wealth.'"

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The SPORTLIGHT By GRANTLAND RICE

A Look Back to The Hag
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 25.—Thursday, a big \$10,000 golf tournament gets underway at St. Petersburg and as usual the event is the magnet of a trans-continental caravan that includes Byron Nelson, Ben Hogan, Sammy Byrd, Jimmy Demaret, Jug McSpaden and other par-cracking stars.

These are the kings of today's golf. But our thoughts kept turning back to Walter Hagen, to the Hag, when he ruled this Florida west coast domain some thirty years ago—when he was paid a salary or a bonus of \$30,000 a year at the old Pasadena course, where one spring he crushed Bobby Jones by 12 up and 11 to play in a 72-hole tilt.

For here after all, was the most colorful golfer I have ever known, more amazing in many ways than even Babe Ruth or Jack Dempsey in other sports.

Hagen had all their color, all their ability, and on the side he was even more of a stormy petrel, more irresponsible, more carefree than either. As the years go by, you miss more and more the Ruths, the Dempses, the Deans, the Bobby Jones—and also the Hagens.

Mexican League Hopes To Obtain Major Leaguers

By THEODORE A. EDGER
MEXICO CITY, Feb. 25 (AP)—There's forty million American dollars behind the Mexican City and Vera Cruz clubs of the Mexican Baseball League, Gerald Pasquel, one of the owners, said today and added that the league would continue its efforts to lure United States Major League players south of the border.

The leap into the United States market for players a year ago and acquired such as Tommy Delas Cruz, of Cincinnati, Chille Gomez, of the Philadelphia Phils and Washington Senators, and Chico Hernandez, of the Chicago Cubs.

One of this year's additions, outfielder Danny Gardella of the New York Giants, already is here working out for the campaign which opens its three-game week schedule on March 14.

Mexico City and Vera Cruz, who play their home games in the capital city, are largely owned by the five Pasquel brothers.

"All the clubs made sizeable profits last year and this year we will have bigger and better ones," Gardella said.

"If it takes money to get the players," he added, "we have the money to pay them. If anyone bets that they won't, let him put up or shut up."

"And if American clubowners think they have lost some players, they will be in for a bigger surprise in March. We have got many United States players and we are going to get more."

Although Pasquel refused to say what salaries were being offered he indicated that reports of a \$40,000 on a four-year contract to Fred Martin, St. Louis Cardinal rookie, and of \$10,000 to Gardella for five years appeared to be slightly high.

Gardella said his pay was more than the \$4,500 he received last year with the New York Giants.

—Prefabricated houses are being manufactured from cement and asbestos in Southern Rhodesia.

Race Entries Selections, Results, Scratches

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

HALEAH PARK—CLEAR AND FAST

1—Likeable, E. Arco, 6.50, 4.00, 3.40; Question Man, W. Barr, 27, 13.90; Cherbourg, M. A. Buxton, 4.30, time 2.00; 2—Lucky Roman, D. Padgett, 50, 17.70; 13.10; Star Batter, A. Scott, 8.50, 5.90; Newlin, C. Quattabum, 6.30, time 1.12 2-5; 3—Education, O. Scurlow, 11.30, 6.30, 3.30; Resistant, J. Stout, 19.50, 12.50; Escosweep, E. Arco, 2.50, time 2.15; 4—Noonday Sun, D. Padgett, 9.40, 4.60, 3.90; Fifth, J. R. Layton, 5.00, 4.10; Army Guder, J. Martin, 8.80, time 1.11 4-5; 5—Green Shed, D. Padgett, 36, 16, 9; Bulcock, D. Dodson, 7.40, 4.40; Proverb, K. Scawthorn, 3.50, time 1.22 1-5; 6—Occup, J. R. Layton, 4.50, 2.60, out; Nowaday, P. Truscka, 2.40, out; Hal Victory, H. Woodhouse, out, time 1.10 1-4; 7—Dinner Party, G. Hettiger, 3.60, 2.40, 2.10; Mahmoud, M. A. Buxton, 2.90, 2.30; Belwyn, D. Dodson, 2.30, time 1.51 3-5; 8—Light of Morn, D. Padgett, 23.10, 7.50, 4.00; Spook Ship, M. A. Buxton, 4.90, 3.50; Attendant, L. Hildebrandt, 7, time 1.52; 9—Daily Double—Likeable & Lucky Roman paid \$360.40.

FAIR GROUNDS

1—Polar Eve, H. Wallace, 4.40, 2.80, 2.40; Sir Leo, S. Brooks, 2.80, 2.80; Tomochichi, S. Williams, 4.60, time 1.14 2-5; 2—Dip-Suter, R. J. Pinnigan, 11, 6.60; Black Tempest, J. Pinnigan, 10, 6.80; Joe, G. South, 3.60, time 1.14; 3—Spartacus, N. Jemas, 14.40, 2.60, 2.60; Arrows Away, H. Alliger, 6.20, 4.40; Real Sweet, C. Leblanc, 3.80, time 1.12 4-5; 4—Dip-Suter, R. J. Pinnigan, 11, 6.60; 5.30, 16.80; DH-Blot Del, R. Shufelt, 32.80, 21.80, 8.20; P-Four Bells, H. Wallace, 5.80, time 1.13 4-5; 5—Try Flying, S. Brooks, 14.60, 6.80, 4.40; Haggerty, W. Hooper, 3, time 1.13 2-5; 6—Pinnigan, M. Penn, 3, time 1.13 2-5; 7—B-M, Mrs. T. Leonard and Mr. and Mrs. Shipp, 17.40, 7.80, 4.40; Spartacus, N. Jemas, 14.40, 3.80; Passageway, A. Fay, 20, 14.40, 4.5; 7—Arrows Away, H. Alliger, 6.20, 3.60, 3; 8—Salin, H. Wallace, 4, J. In The Dark, C. Leblanc, 3, time 1.14; 9—Spartacus, N. Jemas, 14.40, 3.80; 10—Spartacus, N. Jemas, 14.40, 3.80; 11—Spartacus, N. Jemas, 14.40, 3.80; 12—Spartacus, N. 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Crosby, Sothern Radio Programs Will Shift Spots

By JEAN MEEGAN

NEW YORK, February 25. (AP)—This Tuesday is the last time Bob Crosby's CBS show will be heard at 10 p. m. Hereafter the show will be on Wednesday nights at 9:30 in the spot now held by Anne Sothern's "Malsie." Malsie's new time is 10:30 Friday nights as of March 8. Crosby will have Betty Russell, popular and light opera singer, on his last Tuesday night show.

One of the sticky questions of the editorial pages: "What Should We Do about the British Loan?" will be openly discussed on "The American Forum of the Air" at 9:30 on MBS. Participating will be Senator Claude Pepper (D. Fla.); Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D. Cal.); Representative Dewey Short (R. Mo.); and Assistant Secretary of State William L. Clayton. This broadcast will mark the eighteenth anniversary of the forum.

Summer replacement shows that for the last few years have been picked willy-nilly and only for the reason of holding the precious network time spots that the commercial earners winter comedy, drama, and variety shows held are being chosen carefully this season. Few have been decided upon. Slowly and seriously the sponsors are shopping because this year they have something to sell. Products are coming back on the shelves. "It's not" as they say in radio row, "just institutional advertising anymore."

Winston Churchill's first radio broadcast since he arrived in this country on his current trip will be at 11:15 a. m. Tuesday morning on CBS exclusively. His topic is "Education."

The Radio Clock

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26

Eastern Standard Time P. M.—Subtract One Hour for C. S. T., 2 Hours for M. S. T. Changes in programs listed are due to corrections by networks made too late to incorporate.

8:45—Front Page Parrot Serial—nbc
Tennessee Jed, Drama Serial—abc
Hop Harrigan in Drama—other abc
Tom Mix, A Serial Serial—nbc
9:00—News Report for 15 Mins—nbc
Quincy Howe and News Feature
Walter Kieran and News—abc
Repeat of the Terry Serial—abc
Howe's Answers, Repeat—nbc
9:15—Echoes of Tropics, Sports—nbc
Pat Clanton Has Song Time—nbc
Repeat from Dick Tracy—abc
Repeat Superman Serial—nbc
9:30—Evelyn Posen with Songs—abc
Jack Armstrong in Repeat—abc
Repeat of Capt. Midnight—nbc
9:45—Lowell Thomas & News—abc
World News and Commentary—nbc
Cal Linney's Commentary—abc
Tom Mix, Serial, Repeat—nbc
7:00—Radio's Supper Club—nbc
Fifteen Min. Sponsored Series—nbc
News Commentary & Overseas—nbc
Pulton Lewis, Jr., & Comment—nbc
7:15—News & Comment of World—nbc
Tenor Jack Smith Sings—nbc
Raymond Swing and Comment—nbc
Dancing Music for 15 Minutes—nbc
7:30—His Honor, A Barber—nbc
American Melodies Song, Orch.—nbc
The Green Hornet's Mystery—nbc
Arthur Hale in Comment—nbc
7:45—Harkness Comment—nbc
Inside of Sports & Bill Brandt—nbc
8:00—The Pollies of 1946, Variety—nbc
Big Town, Newspaper Drama—nbc
Line and Abner Comedy Show—nbc
8:15—Elmer Davis in Comment—nbc
8:30—A Date with Judy, Drama—nbc
Theater of Romance, Drama—nbc
Adventure of Palooka—nbc
8:45—Five Minutes News Period—nbc
9:00—Amos and Andy's Sketch—nbc
Inner Sanctum & Its Mystery—nbc
Guy Lombardo and Orchestra—nbc
9:15—Real Life Stories Drama—nbc
This Is My Best, Drama Show—nbc
Doctors Talk: A Jazz Society—nbc
American Forum, Guest Panel—nbc
9:30—Five Minutes News Show—nbc
9:45—Five Minutes News Show—nbc
10:00—Bob Hope's Comedy Show—nbc
Joe Bonaparte Concert—nbc
10:15—A Report from Overseas—nbc
10:30—Red Skelton's Scrap Book—nbc
Congress Speeches for 15 Minutes—nbc
Hoosier Hop for Barn Dances—nbc
Butter Half, Mr. and Mrs. Quills—nbc
10:45—Behind the Scenes at CBS—nbc
11:00—News for 15 Minutes—nbc
The Super Club Repeat—nbc
News, Variety, Dance 2 h.—nbc
News, Dance Band Shows—2 h.—nbc
11:15—Variety & News to 1 a. m.—nbc

WTBO Highlights

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26
7:00 Morning Spotlight
7:30 News
8:00 World News Round-Up (NBC)
8:15 Birthday Club
8:45 News
9:00 Honeymoon in New York (NBC)
9:30 Morning Meditations
9:45 Preview and Review
10:00 Robert St. John (NBC)
10:30 Road of Life (NBC)
10:45 Joyce Jordan, M. D. (NBC)
11:00 Fred Waring show (NBC)
11:30 Barry Cameron (NBC)
12:00 Red Cross program
12:15 News
12:30 Art Van Damme quartet (NBC)
1:00 Magic's Private Wire (NBC)
1:05 Sketches in Melody (NBC)
1:45 Morgan Beatty (NBC)
2:00 The Guiding Light (NBC)
2:15 Today's Children (NBC)
2:30 Woman in White (NBC)
2:45 Portrait of a Lady (NBC)
3:00 Woman of America (NBC)
3:15 Ma Perkins (NBC)
3:30 News
3:45 Right to Happiness (NBC)
4:00 Backstage Wife (NBC)
4:15 Stella Dallas (NBC)
4:30 Lorenzo Jones (NBC)
4:45 Young Wilder Brown (NBC)
5:15 Voice of the Army
5:30 News
5:45 News commentary
6:00 Parade of Sports
6:15 Echoes from the Tropics (NBC)
6:30 News
6:45 So the Story Goes
7:00 The Super Club (NBC)
7:15 News of the World (NBC)
7:30 His Honor the Barber (NBC)
8:00 Johnny Present the Folies of 1946 (NBC)
8:30 A Date with Judy (NBC)
8:45 Amos and Andy (NBC)
9:00 Fibber McGee and Molly (NBC)
9:30 Bob Hope (NBC)
10:00 Red Skelton program (NBC)
11:00 News
11:15 Harkness of Washington (NBC)
11:30 400 Club (NBC)
12:00 News (NBC)

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Capt. Claude Gerard Is Now in Tokyo

WITH THE 8TH ARMY IN JAPAN—Capt. Claude Gerard, Cumberland, Maryland, is now serving with the famous First Cavalry Division in their present task occupying the Nippon capital.

Capt. Gerard entered the army October 13, 1941 and took his training at Ft. Riley, Kan. He came overseas on August 3, 1945. His awards are Asiatic Pacific Theater Ribbon, the Philippine Liberation Ribbon with one star, the Victory Medal and the Good Conduct Ribbon.

Before entering the service Capt. Gerard was employed as a section chief for the United States Bureau of Census. He is now commanding officer of headquarters troop of the Twelfth Cavalry regiment. When discharged he plans to attend college.

His mother, Mrs. Nettie J. Gerard, resides at 139 Humbird street, South Cumberland, Md.

Declares Dividend

The Southern Pacific Company has announced that the directors of the company at a recent meeting declared a quarterly dividend of \$1 a share on the outstanding capital stock payable March 25, to stockholders of record March 4.

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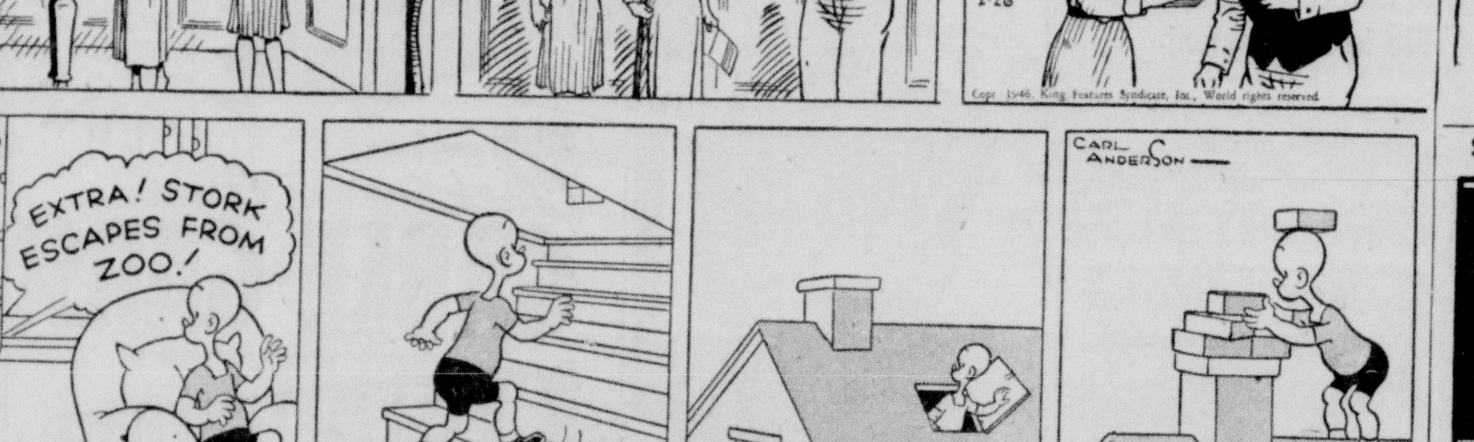
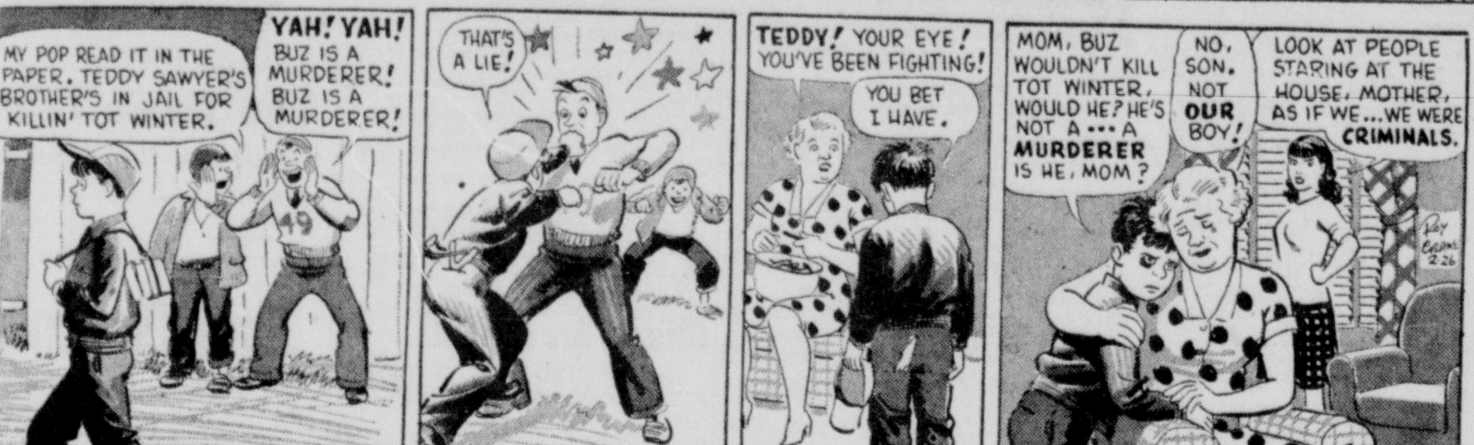
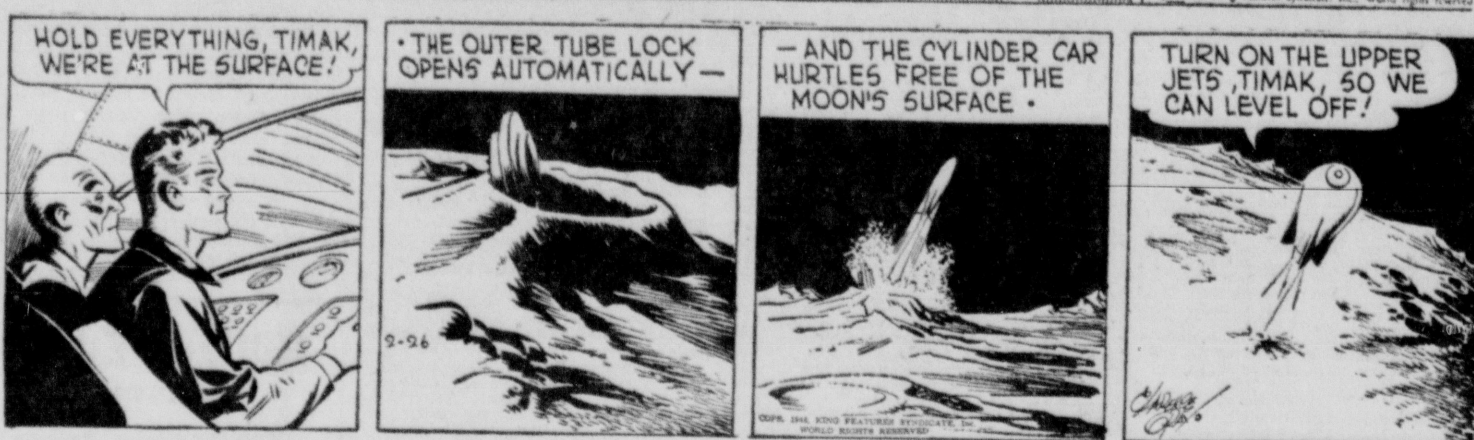
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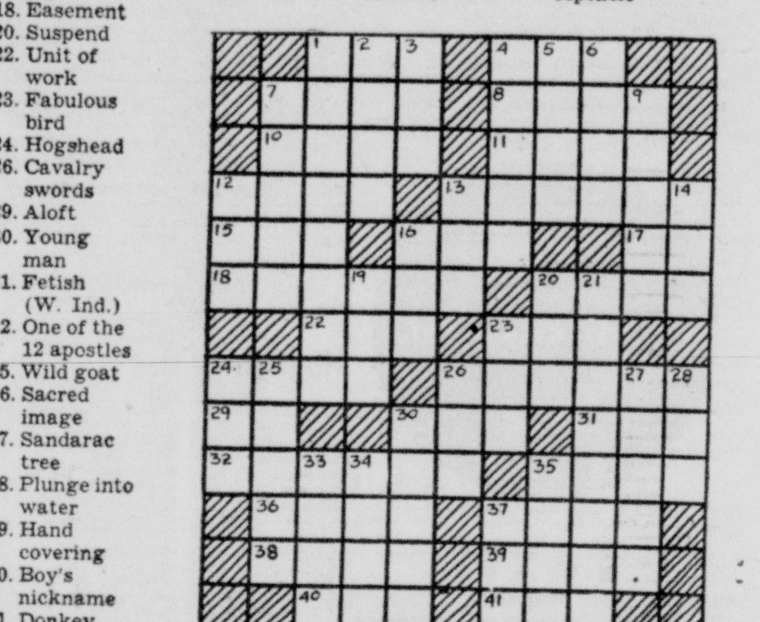
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ACROSS
1. Craze
4. Boulder
7. State flower (Utah)
8. Sleeveless garments
10. Woody
11. Waistcoat
12. Poet
13. Lower
14. Eskimo tool
16. God of pleasure
17. Radium (sym.)
18. Easement
20. Suspend
22. Unit of work
23. Fabulous bird
24. Hoghead
26. Cavalry sword
29. Aloft
30. Young man
31. Fetish (W. Ind.)
32. One of the 12 apostles
35. Wild goat
36. Sacred image
37. Sandarac tree
38. Plunge into water
39. Hand covering
40. Boy's nickname
41. Donkey

DOWN
1. Metal rings
2. Grown old
3. Female deer
4. Caverns
5. Incite
6. Long click (Telegraphy)
7. Not fresh
9. Severe
12. Prickly envelop of a fruit
13. Medieval vessel
14. Large roofing slate
16. Plead
19. Vex (Colloq.)
20. Mischief
21. Gymnasts
23. Beam
24. Slice
25. Plant insect
26. Distress signal
27. President of Germany (1919-25)
28. Number
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Crosby, Solheim Radio Programs Will Shift Spots

By JEAN MEEGAN
NEW YORK, February 25. (AP)—This Tuesday is the last time Bob Crosby's CBS show will be heard at 10 p. m. Hereafter the show will be on Wednesday nights at 9:30 in the spot now held by Anne Sothern's "Maidie". "Maidie's" new time is 10:30 Friday nights as of March 2. Crosby will have Betty Russell, popular and light opera singer, on his last Tuesday night show.

One of the sticky questions of the editorial pages: "What should we do about the British Loan?" will be openly discussed on "The American Forum of the Air" at 9:30 on MBS. Participating will be Senator Claude Pepper (D., Fla.); Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D., Cal.); Representative Dewey Short (R., Mo.); and Assistant Secretary of State William L. Clayton. This broadcast will mark the eighteenth anniversary of the forum.

Summer replacement shows that for the last few years have been picked willy-nilly and only for the reason of holding the precious network time spots that the commercially earnest winter comedy, dramatic and variety shows held are being chosen carefully this season. Few have been decided upon. Slowly and seriously the sponsors are shopping because this year they have something to sell. Products are coming back on the shelves. "It's not" as they say in radio row, "just institutional advertising anymore."

The Radio Clock

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26
Eastern Standard Time P. M.—Subtract One Hour for C.S.T., 2 Hours for M.S.T.
Changes in programs as listed are due to corrections by networks made too late to insert here.

4:45—Front Page Parade Serial—CBS
Tennessee Jed, Drama Serial—abc
Hop Harrigan in Repeat—other a/c
Tom Mix, a Serial—mbs-buo
6:00—News Report for 15 Min.—mbs
Quincy Howe and News Period—mbs
Walter Johnson and News—abc
Repeat of the Terry Serial—abc
Howe's Answer, Repeat—mbs
6:15—Echoes of Tropics; Sports—mbs
Fatti Clayton Has Song Time—mbs
Repeat of Superman Serial—mbs
6:30—Evelyn Faxon with Songs—mbs
Jack Armstrong in Repeat—abc
Repeat of Capt. Midnight—mbs
6:45—Lowell Thomas & News—mbs
World News and Commentary—mbs
Cal Tenny's Commentary—abc
Tennessee Jed in Repeat—mbs
Tom Mix, a Serial—mbs
7:00—Radio's Super Club—mbs
Fifteen Min. Sponsored Series—mbs
News Commentary & Overseas—abc
Fulton Lewis, Jr., & Comment—mbs
7:15—News & Comment of World—mbs
Tenor Jack Smith Sings—mbs
Raymond singing and Comment—mbs
Dancing Machine and Comment—mbs
7:30—His Honor, a Barber—mbs
America Men and Comment—mbs
The Green Hornet, a Mystery—mbs
Arthur Hale in Comment—mbs
7:45—Harkness Comment—mbs
Inside of Sports & Bill Brandt—mbs
8:00—The Pulleys of 1946, Variety—mbs
Big Town, Newspaper Drama—mbs
Lum and Abner Comedy Skit—mbs
Leave It to Mike, a Comedy—mbs
8:15—Elmer Davis in Comment—mbs
30—A Date with Judy, Drama—mbs
Theater of Romance, Drama—mbs
Lark Venture, Drama—mbs
Adventures of Falcon, Drama—mbs
8:35—Five Minutes News Period—mbs
9:00—Amos & Andy Serial—mbs
Inner Sanctum & Its Mysteries—mbs
Guy Lombardo and Orchestra—mbs
Gabriel Heatter and Comment—mbs
9:15—Real Life Stories Drama—mbs
9:30—Fibber McGee and Molly Time—mbs
This Is My Best, Drama Show—mbs
Doctors Talk; a Jazz Sextet—mbs
American Forum, Repeat—mbs
9:55—Five Minutes News Show—mbs
10:00—Bob Hope's Comedy Show—mbs
Bob Crosby and His Orchestra—mbs
Joseph Slopak Concert Orchestra—mbs
10:15—A Report from Overseas—mbs
10:30—Red Skelton's Song Book—mbs
Congress Speeches for 15 Minutes—mbs
Honeydew Hop for Barn Dances—mbs
Better Had, Mr. and Mrs. Quibb—mbs
10:45—Behind the Scenes at CBS—mbs
11:00—News for 15 Minutes—mbs
The Supper Club Repeat—mbs
News, Variety, Dance 2 h.—mbs
11:15—Variety, 6 News to 1 a.m.—mbs

WTBO Highlights

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26
7:00 Morning Spotlight
7:30 News
8:00 World News Round-Up (NBC)
8:15 Birthday Club
8:45 News
9:00 Honeydew in New York (NBC)
9:30 Morning Meditation
9:45 Previews and Reviews
10:00 Robert St. John (NBC)
10:30 Road of Life (NBC)
10:45 Joyce Jordan, M. D. (NBC)
11:00 Fred Waring show (NBC)
11:30 Barry Cameron (NBC)
11:50 Red Cross program
12:15 Art Van Damme quartet (NBC)
12:45 Mag's Private View (NBC)
1:00 Routines in Melody (NBC)
1:45 Morgan Beatty (NBC)
2:00 The Guiding Light (NBC)
2:15 Today's Children (NBC)
2:30 Woman in White (NBC)
2:45 Portrait of a Lady
2:50 Woman of America (NBC)
3:15 Ma Perkins (NBC)
3:30 News
3:45 Right to Happiness (NBC)
4:00 Backstage Wife (NBC)
4:15 Stella Dallas (NBC)
4:30 Lorenzo Jones (NBC)
4:45 Young Widder Brown (NBC)
5:15 Voice of the Army
5:30 News
5:45 News commentary
6:00 Parade of Sports
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Noah Numskull

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Capt. Claude Gerard Is Now in Tokyo

WITH THE 8TH ARMY IN JAPAN—Capt. Claude Gerard, Cumberland, Maryland, is now serving with the famous First Cavalry Division in their present task occupying the Nippon capital.

Capt. Gerard entered the army October 13, 1941 and took his training at Ft. Riley, Kan. He came overseas on August 3, 1945. His awards are Asiatic Pacific Theater Ribbon, the Philippine Liberation Ribbon with one star, the Victory Medal and the Good Conduct Ribbon.

Before entering the service Capt. Gerard was employed as a section chief for the United States Bureau of Census. He is now commanding officer of headquarters troop of the Twelfth Cavalry regiment. When discharged he plans to attend college.

His mother, Mrs. Nettie J. Gerard, resides at 139 Humboldt street, South Cumberland, Md.

Declares Dividend

The Southern Pacific Company has announced that the directors of the company at a recent meeting declared a quarterly dividend of \$1 a share, on the outstanding capital stock payable March 25, to stockholders of record March 4.

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Teen-age Frock



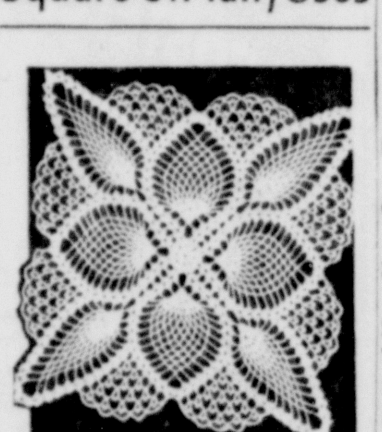
Really becoming to the young, growing form! Pattern 9075 is a frock your teen-ager will treasure—whether she makes it herself in sewing class, or you do it!

Pattern 9075 comes in teen-age sizes 10, 12, 14, 16. Size 12 requires two and three-fourth yards thirty-nine-inch material.

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The Marian Martin spring pattern book is now ready—112 years for fifteen cents. Full of smart styles for the family plus free pattern for the new "bag-on-a-belt" printed right inside the book.

Square Of Many Uses

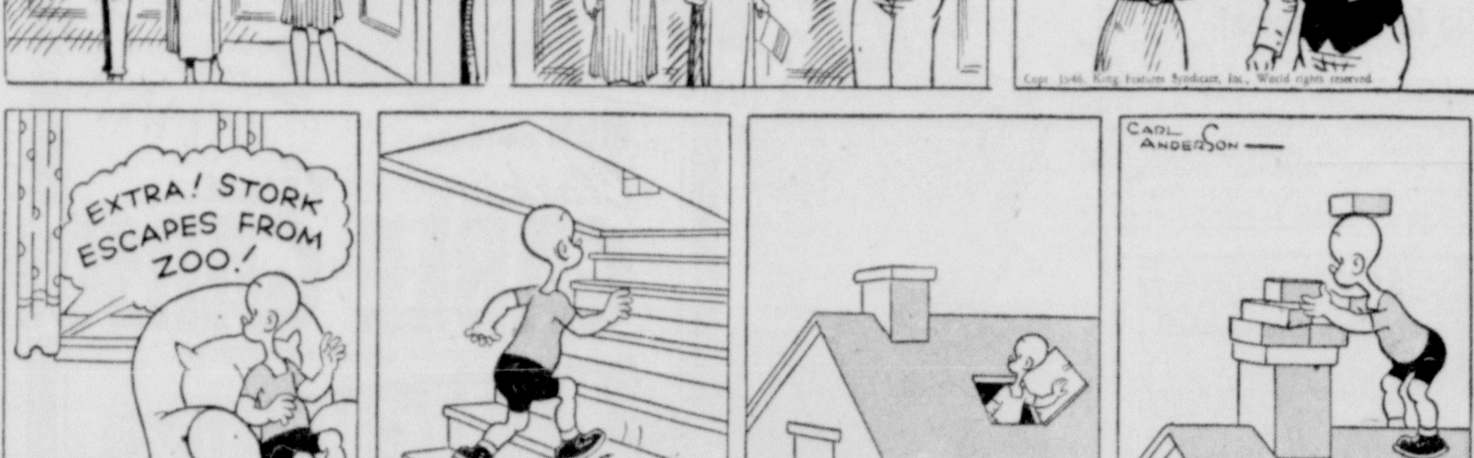
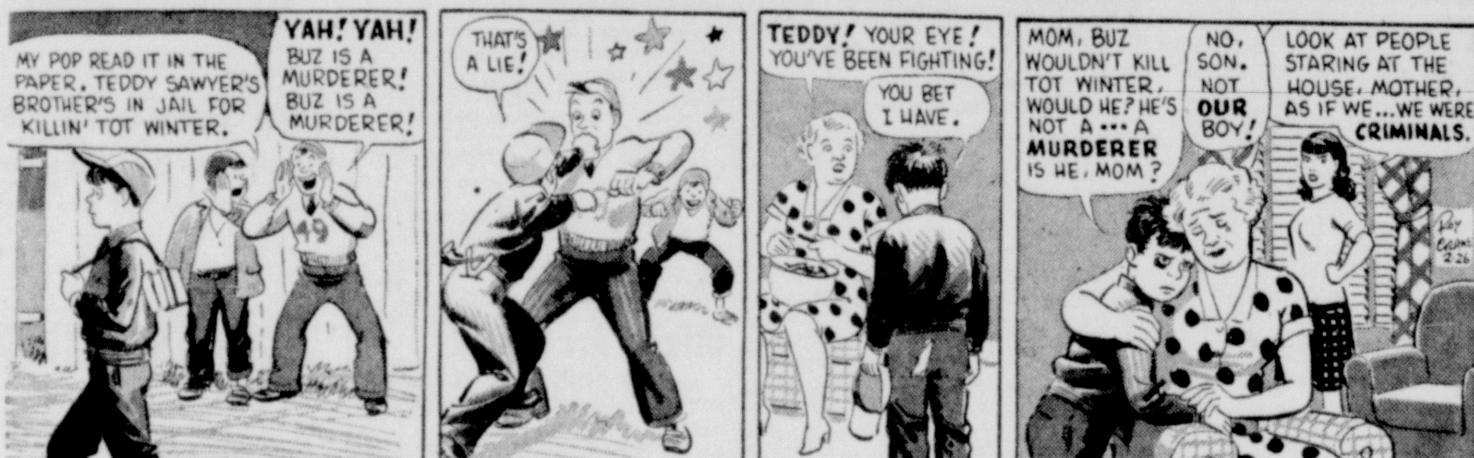
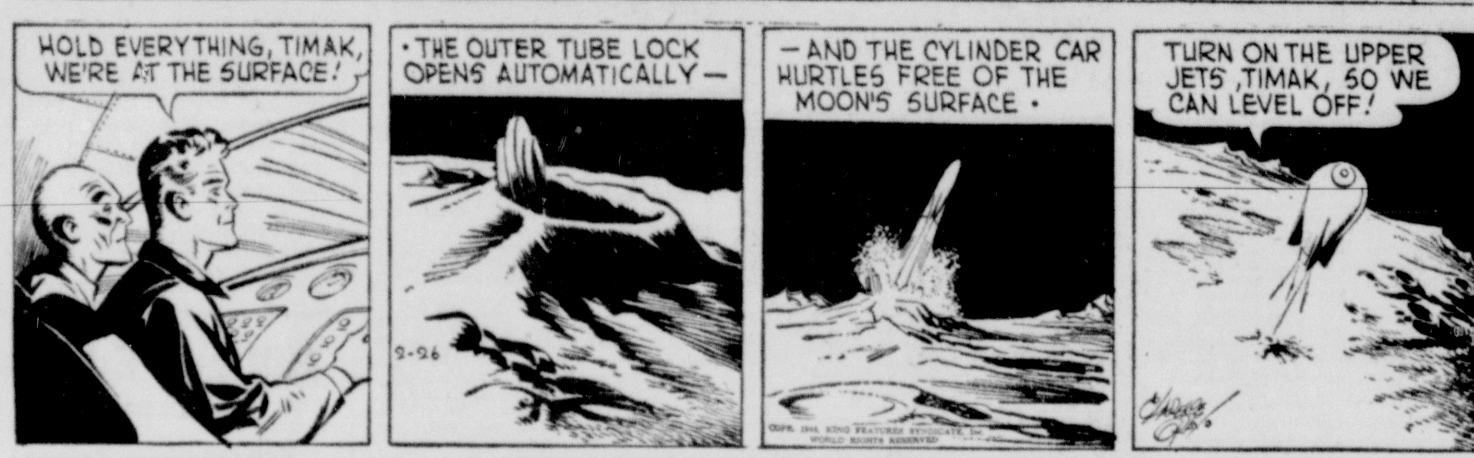


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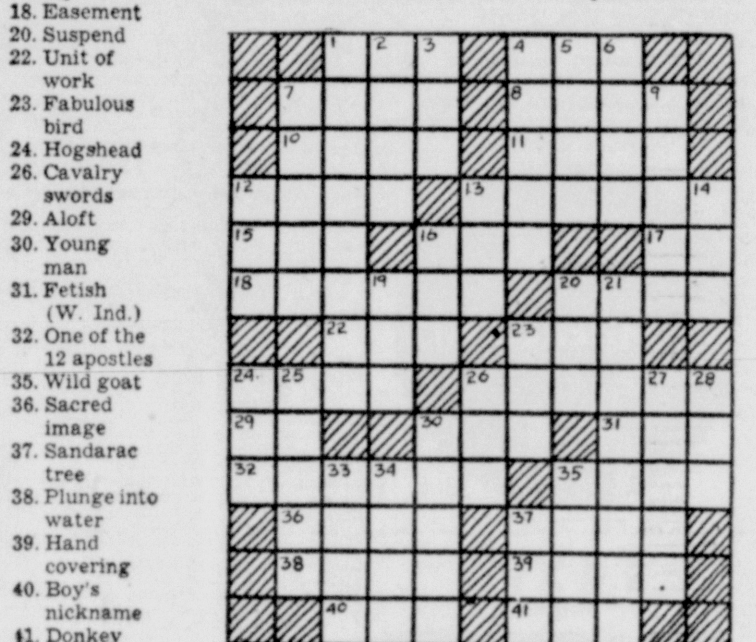
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THE FAMILY
2-25-11-NT

In Memoriam

In sad and loving memory of Marjorie Dale Tyne whom God took away two years ago, February 26, 1944.

Forever brings sad memories. Every memory brings a tear. Deep within our hearts we cherish thoughts of you we loved so dear.

You left behind our broken hearts. That loved you so sincere. They never have nor never will forget you, Marjorie dear.

YOUR MOTHER AND FAMILY
2-26-11-NT

Somehow back of the sunset
Where loveless never dies.
She lives in the land of glory.
With the blue and gold of the skies.

And we who have known and loved her,
Whose passing has brought sad tears,
We cherish her memory always.
To brighten the passing years.

Keep her dear Lord, till I reach the shore.
Then let me have her to love once more.
Sincerely,
RUTH
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1—Announcements

HIMMELER'S Blacksmith Shop, located rear 251 N. Mechanic St., now open for business.
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In sad and loving memory of Marjorie Dale Byrne whom God took away two years ago, February 26, 1944.

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Thou art with us we love you so dear.

You left behind our broken hearts,
That loved you so sincere,
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2-25-46-1N

In loving memory of my Mother, Mrs. Anna O'Donnell, who passed away two years ago today, February 26, 1944.

Somewhere back of the sunset
Where loneliness never dies,
She lives in the land of glory,
With the blue and gold of the skies.

And we who have known and loved her,
Whose passing has brought sad tears,
Will cherish her memory always,
To lighten the passing years.

Keep her dear Lord, till I reach the shore,
Then let me have her to love once more.

Sadly missed by her daughter,
RUTH
2-25-46-1N

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HUMMEL'S Blacksmith Shop, located rear 281 N. Mechanic St., now open for business.
2-25-46-1N

2—Automotive

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The suit was brought by Mrs. Frances V. McCready, 112 Maple street, against John E. McCready, Jr., presently of Delaware, whom she married in North Carolina June 14, 1945, while he was serving in the army.

Mrs. McCready charged that her husband started going out with other women almost immediately after their marriage and that when she brought the matter to his attention "he just laughed."

Special Master Peter J. Carpentieri said testimony submitted appeared to be sufficient to warrant issuing an absolute decree and his opinion was confirmed by the court. Mrs. McCready was represented by Edwin M. Horchler. Harold E. Naughton filed an answer for the defendant.

Succumbs to Wiles

Charging that he was induced to marry a French girl "by her wiles," Robert M. McKenzie, a Cumberland veteran of World War II, has filed suit in circuit court to have his marriage with Yvette Garvais McKen-

zie annulled. The veteran, represented by Edward J. Ryan, said he had been engaged in fighting on the Belgian and French fronts early last year and that while he was in a rest camp in France last July 6 he met Yvette Garvais, said to be a resident of Paris.

McKenzie said he was suffering from shock and "in no mental condition to know what I was doing" when "through her wiles" he "was induced to enter into a civil marriage ceremony."

McKenzie said he and his Parisian bride "never lived together and shortly after the ceremony I was transferred to the United States."

As far as he knows, the veteran said, his wife is still in Paris. He cited that no religious ceremony was ever performed.

William E. Yantz, also represented by Ryan, filed suit for a divorce from Mrs. Virginia D. Yantz, and asked that she be allowed to resume her maiden name, Virginia Cage.

The husband said they were married December 6, 1943, at Lawton, Oklahoma, and lived together until February, 1944.

Mrs. Ellen Conrad Maust filed suit for annulment of her marriage to Randolph Maust, of Bedford county, Pa. The wife, represented by Ryan, said they were married last November 21 in Cumberland.

The wife charged that Maust had no intention of living with her, and "entered into the marriage solely in the spirit of adventure." She added that the marriage was never consummated and asked that the ceremony be voided by the court.

Mrs. Charlotte B. Huff has filed suit for a divorce from Dearl W. Huff, but grounds were not disclosed by her counsel, Julius E. Schindler.

Court Issues Order

Asking a partial divorce, Mrs. Kathleen Long Bowman, of 203 Fifth street, has filed suit against William E. Bowman, a railroad brakeman. The wife, represented by Ryan, asked the custody of their daughter, aged three.

They were married April 4, 1942 and she charged that he was cruel and cursed her.

Associate Judge Walter C. Capper issued an order for Bowman to pay her \$20 a week, pending a decision on the custody of the child.

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Six building permits for new construction estimated to cost \$58,050 were granted by Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer, during the past month, according to a monthly report released yesterday by the engineer's office.

In addition, nine permits for additions and improvements to existing buildings, at an estimated total cost of \$7,350, were issued.

Eighteen applications for occupancy permits were made at the office during the same period, and fifteen were granted by the city engineer. Of the three referred to the board of zoning appeals, one has been granted, and the other two are still pending.

A building permit was granted yesterday for a two-story addition to a building at 600 Baltimore avenue for a confectionery and news stand. The building will be one story high and will measure 28 by 26 feet, with a concrete block foundation, frame walls and a composition shingle roof. Construction will be done by Lloyd Holt.

Mrs. Cora J. Fier, 135 Reynolds street, filed an appeal to the board of zoning appeals yesterday when her application for a permit to occupy part of the first story of a building at 600 Baltimore avenue for a confectionery and news stand was denied because the building is located in a Residential B zoning district. The premises were formerly occupied as a butcher shop, according to the application.

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Seeks Re-election As State Senator Republican Is Now Competing Fourteenth Year in Legislature

State Senator Robert B. Kimble announced yesterday that he will be a candidate for re-election in the forthcoming Republican primary.

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Deer Park Man Struck by Car

Arch Cosner, 79, Is Admitted to Hospital for Treatment

Arch Cosner, 79, Deer Park, was admitted to Memorial hospital at 4:20 p. m. yesterday for treatment of injuries suffered when he was struck by the automobile of a police officer who was operating on the highway.

State police said Cosner, a carpenter, was struck at Mt. Lake Park shortly before 2:30 p. m. He received medical treatment at Oakland before being brought to the hospital here.

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Cpl. Thomas Currie, of the state police, is investigating.

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Soon the girl asked her brother if he could shoot the rifle and the boy, thinking the gun was not loaded, pointed it toward her, the AP said.

In some way the rifle was discharged and the bullet struck the child in the head. She died before she could be taken to a hospital.

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Pleading guilty to a charge of larceny of two diamond rings and a lady's wrist watch, James O. Rowand, manager of the Julian Goldsmith store, Baltimore street, was paroled by Chief Judge William A. Huster in circuit court yesterday with the provision that he make restitution.

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2-2	13	17	30
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	108	71	184

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Airport Operator Receives Charter

Cumberland Airways, Inc., a \$5,000 concern authorized to operate the Cumberland Municipal Airport at Wiley Ford, Va., has been granted a charter, according to the West Virginia Tax Commission office in Charleston, W. Va.

The incorporators are William J. Graham, Eleanor Graham and L. L. Atkinson, all of Pittsburgh, Pa.

Stove Fire Checked

Central firemen were summoned to the Star restaurant's kitchen off South Mechanic street at 6:20 p. m. yesterday and found the fire just where it should be—in the stove. Firemen said a pork roast caught fire.

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After making an inspection of the old Footer building, between Howard and Williams streets, yesterday afternoon, Ralph L. Rizer, city engineer, said that the building offered a "splendid opportunity" as a location for a new bus terminal.

Rizer and Chief of Police Oscar A. Eyerman inspected the premises at the request of the mayor and city council, after John Stewart, president of the Merchandise Mart, last December to operate a union applied by letter to the city officials for the four-story brick structure.

The city engineer said that in a report which will be made to the mayor and council, he will recommend that the front of the first story of the building be removed and that eleven "stalls" be built diagonally to South Mechanic street, where buses can load and unload without causing traffic congestion.

Rizer said he will recommend that steel girders be used to support a roof over the "stalls," so that passengers will be protected from rainy weather when the buses load and unload.

Could Be Easily Reached

He pointed out that if the proposed cross-town viaduct is built, it can be reached easily from the Footer building, since approaches are planned at South Mechanic and South Centre streets.

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In addition, nine permits for additions and improvements to existing buildings, at an estimated total cost of \$7,350, were issued.

Eighteen applications for occupancy permits were made at the office during the same period, and fifteen were granted by the city engineer. Of the three referred to the board of zoning appeals, one has been granted, and the other two are still pending.

A building permit was granted yesterday in the city engineer's office, and an application for an occupancy permit was denied.

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Consequently, the little pullet responsible has been renamed "Henry Kaiser II" and her future activities are being watched with considerable interest and speculation.

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In other words, it was an egg within an egg. Both eggs contained both yellow and white; the yolks in both were only the size of a nickel and about half an inch thick.

When Stevenson came home from the Amelle plant Saturday and found this huge egg he was more than a little surprised, he admits. He's seriously thinking of sending the shell to Ripley, the cartoonist.

Yesterday Stevenson's son, Jim, brought the proof with him to the court house where he serves as clerk to the county commissioners. Jim knew full well that he would require proof to make the story he was prepared to tell stick.

Huster To Preside At Fair Hearing

Alleged Attempt To Seize Control

Chief Judge William A. Huster will be in Hagerstown today to preside at a hearing in Washington County circuit court where attorneys for two groups of stockholders will present arguments in litigation over an alleged attempt by three owners of shares to seize control of the Hagerstown Fair Association.

It has been indicated that the case will be carried to the Maryland Court of Appeals, regardless of the court's decision and fears have been expressed that the litigation may prevent the holding of the annual race meet in Hagerstown this summer.

Papers in the case were sent here last month because Associate Judge Joseph D. Mish, Hagerstown, is a stockholder in the association and therefore disqualified to hear the litigation. The annual stockholders' meeting was set for January 4, but the group which alleges the defendants are seeking to seize control of the association presented a petition to Chief Judge Huster on January 3 and he postponed the session until March 2.

Allege Charter Violation

The complaint was brought by Elmer Corderman, S. Braden King and Jacob M. Middlekauff against Dr. Robert G. Shavette, Lester Widmyer and Mrs. Jeannette Bester, all of Hagerstown, on the allegation that the defendants had acquired 130 shares of stock and distributed them in violation of a charter provision that the owner of stock cannot vote more than five shares.

The defendants denied the charges, saying they transferred certain blocks of stock "for the sole purpose of giving full discretionary voting rights with least obligation." They added that the transfer of stock to relatives and friends "was a custom of years standing."

D. Lindsey Sloan and William A. Gunter, Cumberland, and Charles W. Wolfe, Hagerstown, are attorneys for the complainants, while the defendants are represented by Robert H. McCauley, Hagerstown, and Herbert M. Brune, Jr., Baltimore.

Bona Fide Stockholders

It was alleged by the complainants that the defendants transferred about 115 shares of stock to twenty-one "straw men" in an alleged attempt to exercise greater power in the election of officers and directors of the association and the transaction of other business of the fair association.

In the answer, filed January 25, it was said that all the so-called "straw men" have since become bona fide stockholders in their own right and fully entitled to exercise all the privileges of stockholders, including the right to vote in the association elections.

Cpl. Thomas Currie, of the state police, is investigating.

Robert Popp, 17, Williams road, was treated in Memorial hospital at 2:45 p. m. yesterday